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Synopsis

The once greatest Saint underneath the heavens has been reborn after one hundred years. He cultivates with mighty skills, and he fights to once again reach the top of the world!

Don't compete with me when it comes to concocting pills, 100% effectiveness means nothing to me.

Don't compete with me when it comes to cultivation speed, I won't be responsible when you die from embarrassment.

Don't compete with me when it comes to experience, as I'm an ancient ancestor.

The existence of Jiang Chen is destined to ridicule thousands of geniuses.....

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Chapter 1301 - Step By Step, Getting Closer to It

The four great geniuses didn't dare move forward to get the Immortal Execution Order, however, they believed that the one who would obtain the Immortal Execution Order definitely wouldn't be able to guard it well. Given their cultivation, it wouldn't be a problem for them to seize it over, which was even better than risking their own lives to take the order token from the coffin.

The Immortal Execution Order was a huge temptation just sitting alone on the coffin, constantly seducing people's mind and devouring their senses.

Finally, someone lost his control. He was a genius of the Yun Family with a half-step Golden Immortal cultivation. He was an outstanding genius in the young generation of the Yun Family. He made a stride forth, ready to lunge.

"Go back in line. Don't cause any trouble here."

Yun Canglan chided. He didn't hope to see the genius of his family venturing into unknown danger.

"Brother Canglan, not long ago, I have advanced to the half-step Golden Immortal realm. I can feel that my recent luck is exuberant. One needs great luck to obtain a treasure like the Immortal Execution Order. So, I can surely obtain it. With the help of Immortal Execution King, our family will not only become the true overlord of One-Line-Sky, but also spread our forces to greater regions like the Ethereal Immortal Domain. I'll be reluctant my whole life if I only stayed in One-Line-Sky."

That genius of Yun Family was incomparably confident, thinking himself as the son of the Heavens, the existence with great fortune and that the Immortal Execution Order was specially made for

him.

“I’ll say it once more, you’re not allowed to go.” Yun Canglan clamored.

This genius must have already been blinded by profits. Yun Canglan himself hadn’t even dared to make a step forward. So this ignorant genius would only send himself to death. Before the Immortal Burying Coffin, anything could happen. Those things that will happen would certainly not be in their control.

“Rest assured, Brother Cang. If there’s anything wrong, I will withdraw from it at once. With my ability, retreating shouldn’t be a problem.”

After speaking, the genius of Yun Family lunged towards the ice coffin at quick speed, totally ignoring Yun Canglan. He was too confident, or it could be said that he had already lost his mind because of the overwhelming temptation. The Immortal Execution Order was too tempting. If it was before, even if he was a top genius of Yun Family, he wouldn’t dare to say a word to Yun Canglan’s command, much less ignoring Yun Canglan’s words.

“Son of a b*tch!”

Yun Canglan couldn’t help but curse. He wanted to stop him but it was already too late.

The genius’s face was overflowing with smile. However, just as he approached the Immortal Burying Coffin, something unusual occurred. An extremely dangerous Qi suddenly rose from his heart, shocking him entirely.

“Not good.”

The threat of death finally woke him up from his obsession. He finally understood what he was doing. He didn’t want to die, he still had a bright future ahead. The most important thing at this time was to run for his life, the Immortal Execution Order was no longer important to him.

Unfortunately, an invisible frosty energy had already enveloped him. He couldn't break free from it no matter how hard he tried. He couldn't even struggle from it. He could only wait for his death.

"Help me, Brother Canglan!" he yelled.

Yun Canglan almost spurted out blood. How the hell could he save him? Didn't he know that was no ordinary coffin?

"Argh..."

The ignorant genius wailed miserably. His body erupted and froze. His tragic death was akin to the rogue cultivator. In front of the mighty Immortal Burying Coffin, Divine Immortal and Golden Immortals were no different. They would all die in the same outcome.

Yun Canglan grieved for the genius. It was undeniably a huge loss for Yun Family to lose a genius half-step Golden Immortal. The genius refused to listen to his orders and insisted on confronting the Immortal Burying Coffin. Sure enough, the outcome was exactly the same as he had expected, the genius wasn't supposed to end up dead if he had listened.

Wah...

It stirred up a commotion when even a half-step Golden Immortal of Yun Family died. Such a scene made those who were about to launch forward settle down. Some took two steps back subconsciously. The Immortal Burying Coffin was too scary and the consequences were unimaginable.

The consecutive death of two experts had alarmed everyone. It wasn't easy to get the Immortal Execution Order and death might be the price to pay. Despite the pricelessness of the token, it was considered nothing compared to one's life.

The four great Golden Immortal geniuses didn't dare make a step forward.

Jiang Chen on the other hand was still in a daze. The death of the

two experts didn't make him feel anything as his mind was only focused on Yan Chenyu. He wanted to know what Yan Chenyu had to do with the female corpse inside the ice coffin.

However, no matter how he racked his brain, he couldn't think of the reason for it. Although he was the old ancestor of Saint Origin World, he had no knowledge about the Immortal World. He knew nothing about the Great Sovereign Zang Xian and the Immortal Execution King. The fact that the female corpse in the ice coffin had a similar Qi and appearance as Yan Chenyu was truly unsettling.

"Xiao Yu must be related to that female corpse. In order to know the secret within it, I must get the Immortal Execution Order."

Jiang Chen's eyes lit up all of a sudden. At this time, the Immortal Execution Order was probably the only clue he had. As for the Immortal Burying Coffin, Jiang Chen didn't think that he was capable of controlling it. Given his present cultivation, it was no doubt just a dream to say that he could wield the Sovereign's Coffin.

Pa!

Subconsciously, Jiang Chen made a step forward. Then he strode forth. The tragic deaths of the two didn't worry him at all, but the female corpse had really influenced his mind. He had to understand what the situation really was. So even if there was a great danger ahead, he wouldn't shrink back.

Jiang Chen's action had stirred up the whole crowd once more. Everyone's gaze was fixed on this bold young man.

"It's Jiang Chen again? He's really a person who's not afraid of death. He could straightaway leap into the magma previously, and now, he's invading the space of the Immortal Burying Coffin. Could it be that he really has nine lives?"

"This abnormal freak. Why do we always see him appearing in

situations like these? By the way, do you all think that he will create another miracle by obtaining the Immortal Execution Order?”

“That’s impossible. The Immortal Burying Coffin is too terrifying. No one can get close to it. Jiang Chen would die for sure the moment he gets near it.”

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Everybody was astounded by Jiang Chen’s extreme boldness. It’s like Jiang Chen didn’t care about his life at all. However, no one knew what Jiang Chen was thinking at this moment. If it wasn’t because of his concern for someone in his heart, he wouldn’t have to risk himself by approaching the ice coffin. As such, it was a must for him to do so.

Jiang Chen walked slowly, one step after another. His gentle eyes were fixed at the female corpse inside the ice coffin.

Chapter 1302 - The Smile of the Female Corpse

Every step of Jiang Chen made the other experts' heart pound harder. If it was someone else who was pulling this stunt, they were going to scoff at him and were sure that he would be dead in a second; but now, it was Jiang Chen, the one who always produced miracles. Their hearts were beating fast because Jiang Chen had created too many miracles. Neither of them were certain if Jiang Chen could produce another miracle from this deadly ice coffin.

To Jiang Chen, the first reason he dared to venture closer to the Immortal Burying Coffin was because he was very worried about Yan Chenyu. The second reason was because he possessed a trump card that could save him. Should he sense any dangerous Qi, he would immediately open the door of the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda and hide inside.

The Immortal Burying Coffin was the Great Sovereign's Weapon, one of the supreme weapons in the Immortal World, but the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda was a weapon of God Dao, which was much higher than Sovereign Weapons. Therefore, this was his greatest secret and reliance. Without this backup, he surely wouldn't dare approach this dangerous coffin.

“Be careful, Junior Brother Jiang.”

Bu Qingfeng frowned. His expression was full of worry. Numerous disciples of Skycloud Pavilion were worrying, because even the half-step Golden Immortal genius of Yun Family died. So what Jiang Chen was doing was no different than sending himself to death.

But at the same time, these Skycloud Pavilion disciples were also filled with anticipation. They anticipated that Jiang Chen would create another miracle. If the Immortal Execution Order was obtained by someone, they would naturally hope that it would be

their ally. Although Jiang Chen was an incomparably savage slaughterer, he had been very good to his fellow disciples. He had already saved lots of theirs lives from the beginning until now.

“It’s a pity that he doesn’t even know what’s life and death. However, no one can kill him, right?” Yun Canglan said in a sarcastic tone.

“He really is aware of his situation. Knowing that he’s going to die anyway, he chooses to risk his life to get the Immortal Execution Order. Unfortunately, he doesn’t have such great luck.”

“I wish that he have such great fortune. So that when he has gotten the token, it will be ours. If he dies, he won’t get the token, and the wondrous rock and heart of magma will be destroyed along by the Immortal Burying Coffin. That would surely be pitiful.”

Tuo Hai and Huangfu Zhan said with great interest. Although they wished Jiang Chen to die, they hoped that Jiang Chen could really create a miracle. In that case, it would surely help them to obtain the treasures.

Pa... *Pa...* *Pa...*

Jiang Chen moved forward, taking one step after another towards the Immortal Burying Coffin. Whenever his foot touched the altar, it produced a crisp sound that echoed deep in everyone’s heart.

Soon, he reached the dead zone where the two died. For an instant, the atmosphere turned deadly silent, everyone was eager to find out what would be Jiang Chen’s outcome.

Jiang Chen stopped for a while, took in a deep breath, and then continued to move forward.

Buzz... *Buzz...*

All of a sudden, a wave of destructive and supreme Qi surged out from the Immortal Burying Coffin. It was an invisible Qi that carried the power of a Great Sovereign and only Jiang Chen could

sense it.

Under this pressure, he felt like an insect under the Heavens and Earth, or a kayak floating in the vast ocean, too weak to make any resistance.

“Not good.”

Jiang Chen muttered, he finally knew how the previous two died. They died under this mighty pressure that he was encountering right now.

He was ready to jump into the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda, but the moment he moved, he saw the lying Yan Chenyu. Instantly, all his thoughts of escaping had been brushed away. He couldn't run away, or else, he would never know the secret within it.

“If I die, then I die. Xiao Yu will never let me die.”

Jiang Chen gritted his teeth, closed the door of the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda and continued to move forward. In the face of such critical situation, instead of fleeing, he chose to confront it. Sometimes, men had to face their problems head on because escaping wouldn't be able to solve anything.

The invisible aura fell on Jiang Chen at last, enshrouding him from head to toe. The Qi of death had filled his innermost soul. Just at this moment, Jiang Chen detected some fluctuations from the corpse's Qi.

After that, the pressure that fell on Jiang Chen was summoned back to the coffin like waves of water.

Pa!

The mountain-like pressure retreated. Jiang Chen fell to the ground. His face was pale. His body was drenched with sweat, like he had experienced a moment of death. Despite it only lasting for a few seconds, all of his energy were drained.

“Jiang Chen just fell down. He isn't dead! My God! He's really not

dead, only lying on the ground!”

“This bastard sure is a freak. He’s already very close to the ice coffin, but he isn’t dead yet. This is totally unexpected and impossible. This man has created another miracle.”

“He’s still alive! Could it be that he has obtained the recognition of the Immortal Burying Coffin? What is he actually? How can he have such a great fortune?”

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No one wasn’t surprised by what happened. Jiang Chen was lying on the altar alive, and was too far away from death. Previously, the two experts exploded into shreds and died, but Jiang Chen was safe and sound. It didn’t matter if he was lying on the floor because he still could stand up.

Jiang Chen sucked in a breath of cold air and adjusted his Qi. Then, slowly, he got on his feet and continued moving forward. He knew that the reason the aura retreated must be related to the female corpse and Jiang Chen was certain that this female corpse must have something to do with Yan Chenyu.

Finally, Jiang Chen reached the ice coffin. When he took a closer look at the female corpse, he had no doubt that her peerlessly beautiful face was similar to Yan Chenyu and the same goes with her Qi.

“Xiao Yu, is that you?” Jiang Chen said lightly.

Just as Jiang Chen’s voice faded, the female corpse that had been immobile for an unknown number of years curled her lips into a smile. That was right. The female corpse smiled, although it was only a short moment!

Chapter 1303 - The Inescapable Net

The female corpse smiled. A dead person had actually smiled. This was an extremely scary scene to all, but in Jiang Chen's eyes, it was so beautiful and harmonious. He didn't have the least bit of fear.

Jiang Chen knew that the female corpse was smiling to him. Similarly, the smile was rather familiar.

"Xiao Yu, tell me, what is going on? Why are you lying here?"

Jiang Chen turned emotional. He strongly believed that this female corpse was related to him, but he couldn't conclude if this corpse was really Yan Chenyu because it had existed in this place for a very long time and Yan Chenyu had only ascended to this world recently.

However, the connection within and the incident must have something to do with Jiang Chen and Yan Chenyu. Otherwise, the corpse wouldn't retract the pressure of the Immortal Burying Coffin and smile to him.

Jiang Chen stared at the corpse, but her smile had long since disappeared and she didn't respond to Jiang Chen's clamor. Everything went silent and that pretty face turned strange and unfamiliar.

"Immortal Execution Order."

Jiang Chen regained his sense, shifted his gaze to the bronze token carved deep with two large words, Immortal Execution. Despite it only being a token, none of them dared to stare at it directly.

It wouldn't be possible to find the reason behind it within a short period of time, but Jiang Chen couldn't miss the Immortal execution Order. After falling into a trance briefly, Jiang Chen's composure recovered. His eyes glittered. He stretched his hand

slowly to grab the token.

“He’s going for the Immortal Execution Order. This bastard is going to take the Immortal Execution Order for real.”

“Immortal Execution Order is the biggest treasure here. We can’t let him have it. Once he gets that token, we will seize it away from him.”

“That’s right. We must not let him take away the Immortal Execution Order. If Skycloud Pavilion gets this token, they will soon conquer the entire One-Line-Sky. At that time, the three major powers will be in real danger.”

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The geniuses of the three major powers turned frantic. A wave of murderous intent began to emerge. The atmosphere in Skycloud Pavilion’s side was tense. Finally, someone was about to get the most valuable treasure in this ancient tomb.

Pa!

Jiang Chen’s large hands fell on the token. Despite its small size, it weighed millions of pounds. Jiang Chen had no idea what kind of material was used to make this token, but he grabbed it easily in his hand. He was certain that the fact he could obtain the Immortal Execution Order so easily was very likely because of the female corpse.

Hong Long...

Just as Jiang Chen took the Immortal Execution Order, something unusual happened. All of a sudden, the altar shook violently, seemingly about to burst at any time. Then, a ray of golden light rushed out of the altar and formed an icy door in the void.

This was a different icy door that led to an unknown and long path.

Ka... *Ka...*

The Immortal Burying Coffin shook and sprang upwards into the icy door along with the female corpse.

“Xiao Yu!”

Jiang Chen shouted, rushed into the doorway but was rebounded back by some kind of enormous energy. Then, the door shut tight and the Immortal Burying Coffin vanished.

Hong Long...

After the ice coffin disappeared, the altar became even more restless. Fractures appeared in it, seeming to break at any second.

“Not good, the altar and the ice palace is about to crumble. Let’s get out from here quick.”

“Go.”

“Lock on Jiang Chen. Don’t let him escape. He has the Immortal Execution Order, the wondrous rock and the magma heart.”

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The sudden change alarmed everyone. If they didn’t escape as quickly as possible, it was highly likely that they would be permanently buried here. No one wanted to die, so escape had become their top priority.

However, Jiang Chen’s existence was a concern to everyone as he had the Immortal Execution Order, wondrous rock and heart of magma. To put it bluntly, all the good treasures in this ancient tomb had fallen into his possession. If they let Jiang Chen escape, no one knew how much this freak would grow the next time they met him, the advancement speed of this super abnormal being was just too fast.

Swoosh... *Swoosh...* *Swoosh...*

One by one, silhouettes flew out of the palace while Jiang Chen was staring at the tightly-shut door that had now disappeared

along with that familiar face. Jiang Chen seemed as if he had lost his soul.

“Junior Brother Jiang, let’s go! There will be a great energy when the ice palace crumbles. We won’t be able to defend against it!”

Bu Qingfeng was already at the exit of the ice palace. He turned and shouted at the dazed Jiang Chen.

“Xiao Yu, I will find you.”

Jiang Chen clasped the Immortal Execution Order. A trace of resoluteness was seen in his eyes before he flew out of the ice palace in a ray of light.

There were a lot of rogue cultivators waiting outside the ice palace. When they saw plenty of experts were flying out of the ice palace, although they had no clue of what had happened inside, their instinct told them that there was danger inside. Immediately, they fled along with the geniuses of the four major powers.

Hong Long.....

At last, when everyone was out of the ice palace, the place collapsed and exploded, unleashing so much energy that it ripped apart the void. That was the energy of Immortal King. Their hearts palpated when they saw the terrifying scene. They imagined that if they were a little slower, only Gods knows how they would die.

Jiang Chen was the last to come out. So his Qi was locked on by everyone as soon as he left. Powerful Qi waves had been released from the experts to form an inescapable net around Jiang Chen, giving him no chance of escape.

“Jiang Chen, hand over the Immortal Execution Order now.”

“Jiang Chen, as long as you give us the Immortal Execution Order and wondrous rock, I can spare you your life.”

“Jiang Chen, take a closer look at the situation. Do you think you can escape from this?”

Yun Canglan and the other two geniuses demanded. They could never let Jiang Chen go, because there were too many treasures in this young man. They couldn't help wanting to decipher the secrets in this young genius.

“Immortal Execution Order? How can there be such a terrifying thing in the Ice Palace? What has exactly happened inside?”

Numerous people started to have doubts. Although they weren't powerful enough to stand on the altar, they were no stranger to the Immortal Execution Order as the reputation of Immortal Execution King was too well-known. No one across the whole Immortal World wouldn't know about this.

“I guess you still don't know about it yet. Two things emerged in the ice place, the Immortal Burying Coffin and the Immortal Execution Order. Now the Immortal Burying Coffin is gone and the Immortal Execution Order is in Jiang Chen's possession. But judging from the present situation, I'm afraid that Jiang Chen won't have any kind of pleasant outcome. Yun Canglan and the others will never let him go,” someone explained.

Everyone now knew about the secret of the ancient tomb, but a good show was about to take place. The true battle among the young generation was about to begin. Although Jiang Chen had gotten huge benefits, it was still unknown if he could walk out of this tomb alive.

Chapter 1304 - The Fury of the Frenzied Dragon

The secrets of the ancient tomb had already been dug out. The Immortal Burying Coffin had already vanished along with the female corpse, leaving only a piece of Immortal Execution Order that was in Jiang Chen's possession right now. The experts didn't know why the Immortal Burying Coffin emerged in the ice palace, but they didn't want to find out about it. What they knew was that the Immortal Execution Order was in Jiang Chen's possession and that they had to kill him.

It was a full-fledged siege. There were people everywhere. Experts of the three major powers had already fully surrounded Jiang Chen, including Tuo Hai, Yun Canglan, Huangfu Zhan and a few other supreme half-step Golden Immortal geniuses. All of them were filled with murderous intent. They had already locked onto Jiang Chen's position, not giving him a single room to escape.

There was a sea of people. Although the rogue cultivators were waiting for a good show to happen, plenty of them hoped that Jiang Chen could escape from this situation as they had pretty good impression of him, especially those who were saved by Jiang Chen. Their hearts were now filled with deep gratitude. They couldn't help but sympathize with Jiang Chen seeing him in such a difficult situation. If it wasn't because of their lack of strength, they were afraid that they would've fought alongside Jiang Chen.

However, they knew better that they had to hold their urge to join Jiang Chen in the fight, because the opponents were just too powerful. If they really lunged forward aimlessly, not only would they not be of any help, but also become Jiang Chen's burden.

“Son of a b*tch! These people from the major powers are really too shameless to lay siege on one expert with so many of them. Jiang Chen has obtained the Immortal Execution Order with his

own capability. If Jiang Chen didn't venture into the dead zone and get the token, who would be able to go and take it? Unless they wanted to die."

"That's right. Yun Canglan and the others are too brazen to bully the weak one. Jiang Chen is only an early Divine Immortal expert. If Jiang Chen has the same level as them, I'm afraid that they would've hid themselves far away like a rat seeing a cat."

"Ai! It can't be helped. Tall and big trees will always invite more wind. Who asked Jiang Chen to have so many treasures in his possession? He has all of the valuable treasures that appeared in the ancient tomb. If the experts of the three major powers went out empty-handed, they would lose all their faces. I hope that Jiang Chen can turn this dangerous situation around by creating another miracle and successfully escape from here."

"Don't worry. Personally, I'm very optimistic about Jiang Chen. He is a creator of miracles. Not even the Immortal Burying Coffin could kill him. As long as Jiang Chen doesn't die today, the whole One-Line-Sky will turn chaotic because of him. Also, this man's growth is incredibly fast. Sooner or later, he will post a huge threat to those three major powers. Huangfu Zhan and the others weren't fools. They have already spotted Jiang Chen's potential. That is why they had decided to uproot him out."

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Many rogue cultivators were good-mouthing Jiang Chen. Some people were even confident that Jiang Chen would surely escape. Because of the miracles that Jiang Chen had created, it forced them to think this way.

"Yun Canglan, don't you get too far. Jiang Chen has gotten the Immortal Execution Order all by himself."

Bu Qingfeng showed his strength. Now that the Immortal Execution Order is in Jiang Chen's hands, he had to do his best to help. Or else, Jiang Chen would be facing a very dangerous

situation. With so many fortunes on his body, Jiang Chen was like a vault of treasure. If the Immortal Execution Order, the wondrous rock and magma heart fall into the hands of the other three major powers, it wouldn't be favorable to Skycloud Pavilion.

“Bu Qingfeng, our aim is Jiang Chen now, not Skycloud Pavilion. I hope that you won't interfere in this. If you insist, don't blame us for being impolite. You should already be very clear about the situation today. Even with your interference, you won't be able to save Jiang Chen today,” said Huangfu Zhan.

Jiang Chen just kept his silence at one side. He had already recovered from his daze, however, he was still in an extremely bad mood. His eyes had already turned so cold that he looked like the king of hell. Yan Chenyu's sudden appearance made his heart feel incomparably heavy because he had no idea what had happened on Yan Chenyu.

Now that the female corpse and the ice coffin were gone, Jiang Chen had lost his mind completely. Although the Immortal Execution Order might be the only clue he could use to find Yan Chenyu, he didn't want to use it to request anything from the Immortal Execution King.

The Immortal Execution Order was the only thing that was left, it was impossible for anyone to seize it away from him. This item had become so important that Jiang Chen could never lose it. So, intending to rob the only clue that might led to his lover would surely make him incredibly mad and the consequences of that would be unimaginable.

Hong Long...

A huge wave of turbulent energy exploded from Jiang Chen's body all of a sudden. Immediately, Jiang Chen morphed into dragon. Waves of fury and killing intent flowed in his body incessantly.

“Whoever is going to kill me, bring it on.”

Jiang Chen's voice was extremely deep and cold, as if his voice came straight from the depths of hell, causing people's soul to shiver.

Dong!

Jiang Chen made a step forward, stepping into the void and letting out a rumble. A gush of combat intent rushed out of his body like waves. At this moment, he felt like a powerful and fearless God of War that had descended to the world.

He made a stride that was only a few dozen meter in length, directly stepping away from Bu Qingfeng's protection. He, Jiang Chen, doesn't need protection!

"Humph! Wildly arrogant bastard! Does he really think that he's invincible? How dare he unleash his combat intent on purpose? Let me eliminate him first."

A genius half-step Golden Immortal of Yun Family harrumphed coldly. He was an incomparably proud genius. He had never put Jiang Chen in his eyes. He made a stride and reached a place not far away from Jiang Chen. Killing intent surged out of his body, then he launched a strike. It was a very terrifying punch, initiating sharp knuckle winds that roared in the void like a wild dragon, charging towards Jiang Chen.

The mighty half-step Golden Immortal was a first-class genius in Yun Family. In everyone's point of view, killing someone like Jiang Chen was so easy. Certainly, the genius who launched the strike at Jiang Chen also thought this way.

However, that was not the reality.

Seeing the oncoming attack of the genius, Jiang Chen revealed a cruel smile at the corner of his mouth. The Heavenly Saint Sword materialized in his hand in a swoosh before it was slashed at the genius.

While facing his enemy, he would never be lenient. Jiang Chen

was completely infuriated. Anyone who wanted to rob his Immortal Execution Order would become his sworn enemy and would end up dead eventually. The fury of the frenzied dragon was destined to ignite once more and today, this whole ancient tomb would never have its peace.

Chapter 1305 - Yun Canglan Struck

Roar!

The Heavenly Saint Sword was like a true dragon, letting out world-shaking roars as the extremely brilliant sword Qi slashed forward.

Chi La!

The terrifying knuckle wind was supposed to be indestructible, but when it met the Heavenly Saint Sword, it turned extremely vulnerable and was cut into halves, it was completely destroyed.

This wasn't all of it. The attack of the genius didn't make any impact on the Heavenly Saint Sword. Horrifying sword Qi stretched over the void, leaving behind a brilliant heavenly river. In a blink, it appeared on top of the genius' head.

“What?”

The genius' face paled. As a supreme half-step Golden Immortal expert, he already knew what the current situation was. In truth, Jiang Chen had already reached such a powerful extent that not even he was a match for Jiang Chen. His attack was so insignificant in front of Jiang Chen and Jiang Chen's single sword strike would certainly take his life.

In just a moment, death Qi had completely enshrouded him. This was a critical moment. Like the others, the first thought that came to him was to run for his life. The Heavenly Saint Sword however was like a bloodthirsty vampire. It had totally locked on the genius' position. Moreover, Jiang Chen's sword strike was just too fast. There was no time for the genius to react.

Out of helplessness, the genius of Yun Family had no choice but to defend with all his might. A sharp combat sword appeared in his hand. In an instant, all of the energy in his body was channeled into the combat sword. The sword let out a howl and slashed

forward to block Jiang Chen's Heavenly Saint Sword.

Clang!

Likewise, it didn't have the least bit of effect. Jiang Chen's cultivation had already reached the peak of early Divine Immortal realm, which made him powerful enough to kill any half-step Golden Immortal experts.

The Heavenly Saint Sword didn't even stop after flinging away the combat sword of the genius. With a wail, the genius of Yun Family was slashed in half. Blood was sprinkled in the void. It was a tragic death.

"What?"

Countless of experts were shocked. Even Bu Qingfeng opened his mouth wide. No one had a clue that Jiang Chen had already become so strong. How could that half-step Golden Immortal expert be killed by him in seconds? They wouldn't have believed it if they didn't saw it with their own eyes.

"My God! How did this guy grow so fast? It was way too fast. Back when he seized the wondrous rock, he couldn't even fight Diao Yong and that was only two or three days ago."

"Scary. That's truly scary. I have never seen such a terrifying person before. He's truly an abnormal freak. His existence has affected the three major powers so much."

"One sword strike to kill the half-step Golden Immortal genius of Yun Family. This is heaven defying, but the stronger Jiang Chen gets, the more determined Tuo Hai and Yun Canglan are to kill him. He just grows very quickly. If he isn't eliminated today, no one knew to what terrifying extent would he reach next time."

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Everyone was shocked. The scene was just too horrifying. The top genius of Yun Family who wanted to kill Jiang Chen was killed by his prey instead. Jiang Chen's strength had undoubtedly sent a

huge blow to the geniuses of the four major powers. Jiang Chen was simply incomparable to any of them. Even Yun Canglan and the other supreme geniuses felt weakness in themselves. If they were on the same level as Jiang Chen, they were afraid that Jiang Chen could kill them all as easy as pinching insects to death.

“I forgot to tell you all that I was the one who killed Diao Yong,” said Jiang Chen plainly.

“What? Senior Brother Diao Yong was killed by him?”

“Dammit! This bastard already has the power to kill Diao Yong. We shouldn’t have let Brother Kun fight just now.”

Jiang Chen admitted with his own mouth, which solved the mysteries that people had about Diao Yong’s death. The experts of Profound Sun Sect had already been gritting their teeth when they saw Jiang Chen was still alive. After hearing that Diao Yong died under Jiang Chen’s hands, their fury surged.

“Who else?”

Jiang Chen just stood there, but it gave people the impression of loftiness, like he was challenging the whole world, not putting every single genius of One-Line-Sky in his eyes. That was contemptuous and tyrannical.

Bu Qingfeng felt extremely worried at first, but after witnessing Jiang Chen’s means, he was no longer concerned about him. With such ability, even if he couldn’t fight against those geniuses, it wouldn’t be a problem for him to escape. Also, looking at his confident face, he seemed fearless while facing Tuo Hai and the other geniuses.

“Yun Canglan. Wasn’t it you who kept on declaring to kill me? Do it now then!”

Jiang Chen turned to Yun Canglan and made a provocation. He was never someone that could be bullied easily. Yan Chenyu’s matter had put him in a very bad mood this time. His stomach was

full of anger right now and these people intended to seize away his Immortal Execution Order. So naturally, he had to vent his anger on these bastards.

“Jiang Chen, you’re definitely the most arrogant person that I’ve ever seen, and you do have the right to do so. I acknowledge your talent is far above mine, but unfortunately, your cultivation is still too weak. Even though you can kill a half-step Golden Immortal expert, you won’t be a match for me. The gap between Golden Immortal and half-step Golden Immortal is beyond your imagination. Since you are asking for death, I will help you fulfil it. When you die, the Immortal Execution Order will surely be mine.”

Yun Canglan stood out. It was necessary for him to do so at this time. Today, Jiang Chen must be eliminated, this person was just too scary, especially when having him as an enemy. Yun Canglan couldn’t allow him to grow anymore or else, it would certainly be a disaster to Yun Family.

“Come and attack now.”

Jiang Chen said flatly. His body was filled with combat intent. While facing Yun Canglan, he didn’t even have the slightest bit of fear. He had just advanced to the peak of early Divine Immortal realm and now was the time for him to test his true combat strength, to see how big the gap between him and Yun Canglan actually was.

Hong.....

Jiang Chen led the attack by striking out the True Dragon Palm.

“Hubristic.”

Yun Canglan’s eyes turned icy cold. Immediately, he struck out a palm. It created terrifying palms of winds that blotted out the sky and the pressure caused the void to tremble. Every wave was as sharp as blades, cutting everything on its way.

Hong Long.....

Yun Canglang's wind palm and Jiang Chen's True Dragon Palm collided and started an enormous energy storm.

Chapter 1306 - The Energy in the Immortal Execution Order

This was a contest between two true experts. It was a totally different level from the previous battle. The momentum of Yun Canglan was many folds greater than the half-step Golden Immortal genius.

The blood-red dragon claw perished. Jiang Chen felt a strong vibration and was sent a dozen meters away. The blood and Qi inside his body couldn't help churning. Meanwhile, Yun Canglan had also received a shock from Jiang Chen's attack.

Such a vibration was nothing to Jiang Chen. It wasn't even serious enough to cause him injuries. With a wash of the wood spiritual energy, he had fully recovered.

Although Jiang Chen failed in this round, no one laughed at him. Even Yun Canglan didn't have an intent to sneer at this junior. Instead, he felt astonished that despite Jiang Chen being just a peak early Divine Immortal, Jiang Chen was still alive after his powerful palm strike. Jiang Chen didn't even suffer any injuries. This alone could make Jiang Chen proud. Such a result was truly out of Yun Canglan's expectation.

"Huangfu Zhan, I think this kid isn't easy to deal with. Let's not delay any longer. Now that the Immortal Burying Coffin is gone, I'm afraid that the spatial zone of this ancient tomb won't hold much longer. It will probably crumble soon. How about we eliminate him together?" Tuo Hai looked over at Huangfu Zhan and suggested.

"Alright."

Huangfu Zhan nodded. The two of them unleashed their Qi and rushed towards Jiang Chen. Everyone understood the underlying intention of these two geniuses. They weren't afraid that Jiang

Chen wasn't hard to deal with, but afraid that they wouldn't get a share from the benefits after Yun Canglan killed Jiang Chen. They might be able to let go of the wondrous rock and the heart of magma, but the Immortal Execution Order was a totally different case. Whoever got it first would have it. So how could they possibly watch Yun Canglan getting all these benefits alone?

Seeing the two readying to strike, Bu Qingfeng couldn't stand idly by. Immediately, he came to Jiang Chen's side and whispered: "Jiang Chen, I can only keep one of them busy. Although you are powerful, you won't be a match for the two of them. I advise you to escape now. As long as you return to Skycloud Pavilion, you will be safe."

"Thanks for your concern, Senior Brother Bu."

Jiang Chen smiled but didn't put Bu Qingfeng's intention to heart. Of course, he knew that Bu Qingfeng was sincerely worried about him.

However, even if he walked out of the ancient tomb, he wouldn't go back to Skycloud Pavilion. If the words about the Immortal Execution Order spread, it would surely bring storm and chaos to One-Line-Sky. At that time, he wouldn't have a safe place in One-Line-Sky and Tian Muyun would definitely start paying more attention to him.

Putting Tian Muyun aside, after exiting the ancient tomb, he would return to Evil Abyss at once and help Yang Bufan accomplish his conquest over the Evil Clan. Along the way, he would also need the demonic devils for improvement. Although he had obtained tremendous benefits during this trip and had advanced tremendously, it was still far from enough to fight against Tian Muyun.

"Don't delay any longer. Attack now."

Tuo Hai shouted and took action, but he was stopped by Bu Qingfeng. In the next second, both of them started an intense

battle. As the both of them always have been foe to each other, they had plenty of battles like this before and every time during their battle, it would cause the sky to turn gloomy and dark.

On the other side, Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan struck resolutely to avoid further complication. After all, Jiang Chen had produced too many miracles and they didn't wish to see any miracles happening on Jiang Chen anymore. It would be best if they could eliminate him as soon as possible. Regarding the matter about their reputation, they wouldn't think about it now, nothing was worth more than the Immortal Execution Order.

Hong.....

Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan unleashed their powerful Qi that rolled and formed a dark cloud in the void, falling down on Jiang Chen oppressively.

It was imaginable how powerful the joint attack of two mighty Golden Immortals was. Even Jiang Chen's facial expression changed a little as he had somewhat underestimated these geniuses from the beginning. Like Yun Canglan said, a true Golden Immortal could never be compared to a half-step Golden Immortal. It was like day and night.

“Five Elemental Combat Dragon Seal.”

Jiang Chen struck. Despite facing these two formidable opponents, there was no sign of fear on his face. Terrifying flying dragons spiraled out frenziedly with incessant roars and collided with the attacks of the two great experts.

Hong Long.....

The Heaven and the Earth shook as the two massive energy collided. The shockwaves spread extremely far away. Many cultivators were frightened and moved backwards, fearing that they would suffer great injuries or even be killed by the enormous shockwave. This was what they called the pinnacle battle between

geniuses. Life could be in danger even by being a spectator of this battle.

The Five Elemental Dragons were destroyed. Jiang Chen, after all, wasn't a match for them. He was sent flying once more.

Jiang Chen harrumphed dully. A trickle of blood flowed out from the corner of his mouth. At the same time, his palm cracked and blood gushed out from the wounds and stained the Immortal Execution Order. Then, the order token let out a faint glow.

Subsequently, an incomparably pure energy rushed out from the Immortal Execution Order and into Jiang Chen's body. The energy was incomparably icy and cold, but it was extremely pure and rich.

Hiss.....

A wave of energy caught Jiang Chen by surprise, causing him to suck in a cold breath of air. Frost instantly formed on the surface of his body.

But immediately, Jiang Chen felt overjoyed because he discovered the origin of the energy.

"This is the energy of ice. The Immortal Execution Order has been placed on the Immortal Burying Coffin for too long and has absorbed the pure cold Qi that was inside the coffin. When my blood touched the token, it stimulated the token. This amount of energy is truly a great fortune. If I'm able to refine this terrifying energy, I can at least condense 50 000 dragon marks, pushing my cultivation to the peak of intermediate Divine Immortal realm. By then, killing Yun Canglan would be a piece of cake."

Jiang Chen was surprised by the accidental gift. It was like receiving a hot coal in snow. He tried to fight the great geniuses of One-Line-Sky, but found out that he was no match for them. However, with the help of this pure energy, his cultivation could advance once more and the battle situation would surely be reversed.

“Jiang Chen, you’re no match for us. I suggest you to stop making these senseless struggle and hand over the Immortal Execution Order and wondrous rock obediently to save yourself from physical suffering.”

Huangfu Zhan spoke coldly. Seeing Jian Chen’s injuries, they were sure that Jiang Chen would die today.

Jiang Chen ignored the threat of Huangfu Zhan and focused all his attention on circulating the dragon transformation skill and Water Dragon Seal to refine the newfound energy. Fortunately, this was Jiang Chen. If it was someone else, he wouldn’t be able to refine such icy cold energy, unless that person had special meridians like Yan Chenyu’s Nine Yin Meridians. Very few people would be able to bear such an icy and cold Qi.

Chapter 1307 - Disappearance

In the face of Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan's joint attack, Jiang Chen wouldn't stand a chance. Even if he used the Heavenly Dragon Combat Halberd, there was no absolute certainty, which left him only with one option – run. But now, the situation had changed. He had gotten an unexpected help from the Immortal Execution Order. Under the rush of such energy, it wouldn't be a problem for Jiang Chen to advance to the peak of intermediate Divine Immortal realm. By that time, he would even turn defeat into victory.

*Buzz... * Buzz... *

The energy in his Qi Sea was overflowing. The energy within the Immortal Execution Order was too strong, even stronger than the energy within the heart of magma. Jiang Chen circulated the dragon transformation skill to the maximum. Tremendous amount of energy was being refined at crazy speed. The space in his Qi Sea was getting bigger and bigger as countless of dragon marks were dancing back and forth, letting out dragon roars.

New dragon marks were constantly being condensed out. His Qi continued to climb. The injuries that he suffered wasn't a big deal to him. His peak condition was restored almost instantly with the wood spiritual energy.

“Something's not right.”

Yun Canglan was waiting for Jiang Chen to hand over the Immortal Execution Order to them voluntarily, but all of a sudden, he felt a sudden change in Jiang Chen's Qi.

“Not good. This bastard's Qi is changing continuously, seeming to advance at any second. He might have obtained some kind of benefits. Dammit! We can't let him advance once more.”

Huangfu Zhan's facial expression changed dramatically. In fact,

they already had fear for Jiang Chen. Fear that stirred up inside of them as Jiang Chen's talent had far exceeded theirs. It had given them tremendous pressure especially when their joint attacks couldn't even kill Jiang Chen or injure him badly.

This meant that the gap between them and Jiang Chen wasn't that big. If Jiang Chen advanced to another level, the battle might be reversed and this wasn't something they hoped to see.

"Let's attack together. Stop him from advancing. Don't hold back anymore. Kill him straightaway."

Yun Canglan's expression hardened. He eliminated all the underestimation he had for Jiang Chen. Such a heaven defying genius was truly giving them a huge headache. Soon, they were going to lose control of the situation.

"Turning Cloud Palm!"

"Huangfu Combat Seal!"

Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan no longer held back their strength and struck out with their strongest attacks, determined to kill Jiang Chen.

Hong Long...

Innumerable bright golden palms emerged, intertwining in the void to form a palm shadow, grabbing at Jiang Chen like a huge net. At the same time, Huangfu Zhan's attack was also incomparably strong. His combat seal had produced a miniature world that was full of destructive energy. The consequences of being hit by this was unimaginable.

"How mean and contemptible! These two experts are the top geniuses in One-Line-Sky. Two versus one is already a shameless act for the two of them. Now, they have even used the Turning Clouds Palm and Huangfu Combat Seal."

"Turning Clouds Palm and Huangfu Combat Seal are the unique combat techniques of the Yun and Huangfu Family. Each of which

is extremely powerful. Jiang Chen won't be able to defend against those."

"Ai! It seems like Jiang Chen is really unlucky today."

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Seeing Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan exerting their ultimate skill, plenty of them were worrying for Jiang Chen. Under the siege attack of these two great experts, it wouldn't be easy to survive. Although Jiang Chen was tough, his cultivation was still very weak.

When the terrifying Qi waves of the attack reached Jiang Chen, he slightly raised his head. He could feel the tyrannical strength coming from these two experts, but due to him having put all of his attention in advancement, he simply couldn't put any thought in battling. It wouldn't be easy for him to defend against this attack.

"Ancestral Dragon Pagoda."

Jing Chen shouted lightly. The door of the pagoda opened all of a sudden. With a flicker, he entered into the pagoda and the door closed.

Hong Long.....

Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan's attack landed in the void and exploded, creating a huge brilliance. Despite the massive energy, Jiang Chen was nowhere to be seen. In other words, their ultimate attacks didn't make an impact at all.

"What? Where is he?"

Upon seeing what had happened, Yun Canglan almost spurted out blood. A situation like this was mystical and unprecedented. Jiang Chen had vanished like he had never appeared before.

"Where has Jiang Chen gone to? Could it be that he has escaped?"

Huangfu Zhan couldn't help being astounded. They were experts

who always had battles and had accumulated plenty of combat experience, but they had never encountered such a strange incident before. Their enemy had disappeared entirely in an instant. How could they ever accept that?

“My God, Jiang Chen is gone. How did he do that?”

“Could it be that he has escaped at the critical moment of the attack? This isn’t possible. Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan are experts who have mastered the Profound Meaning of Great Luo. No matter how great Jiang Chen is, he can never flee in front of them without them noticing.”

“There’s no way he can run away so stealthily. I guess he must have had some kind of means to conceal himself. This bastard is really horrifying.”

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No one wasn’t surprised. A scene like this had attracted the attention of everyone, even Bu Qingfeng and Tuo Hai temporarily stopped fighting. Numerous divine sense swept through the air to locate Jiang Chen, but not even his Qi could be detected.

“Are you kidding me? This brat can actually vanish in front of us? What’s this all about?” Huangfu Zhan was about to spurt out blood.

“It’s impossible for him to escape. He only has a Divine Immortal cultivation base and had yet to master the spatial law. I guess he must be using some kind of concealing technique to conceal himself completely. I would like to see how long can he continue in this state.”

Yun Canglan said coldly. Then, each of the half-step Golden Immortals of Yun Family, Huangfu Family and Profound Sun Sect occupied a position in the scene, sealing the region completely. As long as Jiang Chen reappeared, he wouldn’t be able to leave.

Yun Canglan and the other supreme geniuses cast out their

divine sense to scan around the void back and forth, making sure that every corner was within their watch.

Currently, Jiang Chen was in his pagoda which was a mighty supreme Divine Weapon that none of the experts here could detect, however, Jiang Chen's present expression was incomparably unpleasant. Of all the battles that he had, he had never retreated before as that would affect his road to hegemony.

Chapter 1308 - 790,000 Dragon Marks

The Ancestral Dragon Pagoda was Jiang Chen's greatest trump card. It could be used to escape and hide, but Jiang Chen had never hidden himself in the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda during a battle before. Naturally, if the opponent was overpowering, he would run for his life, but now, he was competing with his peers, he had no reason to flee.

The sudden retreat would indirectly affect Jiang Chen's disposition. He was the True Son of the Heavens and the True Son of Heavens would never retreat, but due to the tremendous energy in the Immortal Execution Order, Jiang Chen had no other choice. After all, the energy was just too powerful and he couldn't refine all of it within a short period of time. Plus, Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan would never give him time to advance.

Therefore, Jiang Chen had no other choice than to hide in the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda. The moment he advanced, he would return to the outside world and begin a massacre to win back his own dignity and rebuild his dominance. He knew that whether it was the dragon transformation skill or the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda, they had a certain spirit in them. If he chose to retreat every time, he was afraid that it would stir up doubts in these two existences which would be detrimental to his path of cultivation.

Buzz... *Buzz...*

Ten thousand dragon marks had been condensed out. The number of dragon marks in Jiang Chen's body had already reached 750,000. Enormous amount of Immortal Meta Stones were being refined, pushing his cultivation to the intermediate Divine Immortal realm. At this level, he had enough strength to reverse the situation around by defeating Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan, but it was still somewhat difficult for him to kill them. However, Jiang Chen's advancement hadn't stopped. The scary energy in the Immortal Execution Order was far from exhaustion. As long as

Jiang Chen condensed another 40,000 dragon marks and reach the peak of the intermediate Divine Immortal realm, killing Yun Canglan and Hangfu Zhan would be as effortless as blowing dust.

Even after advancing to the intermediate Divine Immortal realm, the energy in his Qi Sea was still churning like tidal waves. Under the circulation of the dragon transformation skill, massive amount of energy began to form dragon marks. Every newly-formed dragon marks pushed Jiang Chen towards another level, enhancing his combat strength.

At this moment, outside the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda, the scene had already turned incredibly silent. Everyone was looking for a trace of Jiang Chen, but regardless of how hard they tried, they couldn't find a thing about him.

“Where has Senior Brother Jiang gone to? What an amazing skill!”

A disciple of Skycloud Pavilion spoke softly. Now, Jiang Chen had risen to fame in Skycloud Pavilion, especially in the hearts of the young disciples; he was regarded as an omnipotent being. Virtually all of the most valuable treasures in the ancient tomb had been gotten by him.

“Brother Jiang's means isn't something we can imagine. He's an extraordinary cultivator. I'm getting more and more confident about his ability. It seems like it won't be easy for Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan to kill him anymore.”

Guo Jie smiled. Jiang Chen had given him too many surprises, which grew his confidence in Jiang Chen.

Fu Hui was among the crowd shaking his head. Back when he first met Jiang Chen, which wasn't long ago, Jiang Chen had just destroyed the ore mine of Profound Sun Sect and was finding someone that could bring him into Skycloud Pavilion. Comparing him to Jiang Chen, he shouldn't be called a genius anymore.

“Humph! This group of bastards are thinking to kill Senior Brother Jiang? I don’t think so. With such a peerless figure emerging from Skycloud Pavilion, he’s going to rise to power sooner or later. When that time comes, the whole One-Line-Sky will be dominated by only our pavilion.”

“That’s right. Senior Brother Jiang is truly a genius. Every young talent in One-Line-Sky isn’t qualified to be called geniuses compared to Senior Brother Jiang.”

“However, where do you all think Senior Brother Jiang has gone to? Could it be that he has already escaped and left the ancient tomb?”

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Each and every disciple of Skycloud Pavilion seemed high and mighty, feeling that it was an honor to be in the same sect with Jiang Chen. They’re even willing to surrender to Jiang Chen when they saw Jiang Chen’s powerful means. To them, Jiang Chen was someone who could do anything. The existence of Jiang Chen had turned all the other geniuses to ordinary beings.

“Dammit! Where did that bastard go? Normally a concealing technique won’t be able to last for so long and leave no trace behind.”

Tuo Hai couldn’t help but curse. Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan seemed tense. They had witnessed Jiang Chen’s scariness. If someone like him wasn’t eliminated today, the repercussions would be inconceivable.

In the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda, Jiang Chen’s Qi had already climbed to its peak height. He had used up all the energy in the Immortal Execution Order to condense another 40,000 dragon marks. Adding the 750,000, the total of dragon marks in his body reached 790 000, leaving only 10,000 more to reach the late Divine Immortal realm. His current state had already stopped at the peak of the intermediate Divine Immortal realm. The Qi that was

exuded from his dragon form could already shake people's soul. His blood-red dragon eyes gave people the feeling as if they had fallen into the pits of hell.

Hong...

A surge of formidable Qi rushed out of his body. As the saying goes: the stronger you are, the more confident you will become. Self-confidence was something Jiang Chen had never lacked. At this moment, his confidence was at its peak. He casually adjusted his condition and walked out of the pagoda through the door.

Swoosh!

Just now, he disappeared unnoticeably, and now he reappeared without a trace as well, as if he had never left at all.

“Jiang Chen!”

Someone exclaimed. Innumerable eyes fell upon Jiang Chen. The way they looked at Jiang Chen was like they had seen a ghost. Appearing in one moment and disappear in the next had stunned all of them. No one could explain how Jiang Chen did it, but he did it anyway.

“Kill!”

Without much hesitation, Yun Canglan's killing intent soared, he struck out the Turning Clouds Palm once more at Jiang Chen. In his point of view, Jiang Chen could never conceal himself anymore. Now, he had to kill Jiang Chen as soon as possible. As long as Jiang Chen wasn't killed, his heart would never be at ease. He would always feel that something big would happen.

“Humph!”

Jiang Chen harrumphed coldly and faced Yun Canglan once more. His face was full of ease and cruelty. The Heavenly Saint Sword materialized in his hand and was slashed forward.

Hong Long.....

Formidable attack power broke out in an astonishing momentum. The Turning Clouds Palm was no match under the indestructible Heavenly Saint Sword. Countless palm prints were slashed to pieces with this single strike. The long sword turned into a ferocious dragon – that was the might of the dragon sword – lunging forward, reaching Yun Canglan in a blink.

Chapter 1309 - Extinguishing Yun Canglan

“How is this possible?”

Yun Canglan exclaimed. His face revealed a panic-stricken expression. Such a scene was totally unexpected to him, however, Jiang Chen’s strength made him understood one fact – Jiang Chen had achieved another advancement within this short period of time. He was sure that before Jiang Chen disappeared, he was only at the peak of early Divine Immortal realm, but now, he had already reached the peak of the intermediate Divine Immortal realm.

Yun Canglan would never believe such an incredible speed of advancement if he didn’t see it with his own eyes. Abnormal could no longer be used to describe this.

The speed of the attack was too fast. Yun Canglan had no chance of blocking it. This was due to him underestimating his opponent. Energy surged out of his body. He intended to take the moment while he was blocking Jiang Chen’s attack to run away from Jiang Chen’s attack zone.

However, this was impossible!

Pu Chi!

The sharp Heavenly Saint Sword’s light fell on Yun Canglan’s arm and severed it. Blood spewed out like a fountain.

“No!”

Yun Canglan yelled. To a genius like him, losing an arm could greatly affect his future, and this was unacceptable to him.

However, the truly unacceptable outcome had yet to occur.

Swoosh!

Jiang Chen’s body emerged before Yun Canglan right after his arm was slashed off. It was simply too fast. The sharp

Heavenly Saint Sword fell on Yun Canglan's neck, into his flesh, causing some blood to flow from the opening.

The crowd turned silent while gaping at the scene. None of them had thought that this would happen. Jiang Chen was only gone for a while. When he re-emerged, he became so powerful that he turned defeat into victory. The formidable Yun Canglan had become completely vulnerable and helpless.

Huangfu Zhan didn't even have the chance to strike. At this moment, he was dumbfounded. From slashing Yun Canglan's arm and gaining control over Yun Canglan took only a second. They all happened in a blink. Such a scary scene had really frightened everyone.

"How could he suddenly become so powerful?"

Huangfu Zhan gulped. All of his confidence and loftiness had vanished unnoticeably. Initially, he looked down on Jiang Chen, but everything changed now. To him, the current Jiang Chen looked more like a devil king.

"Yun Canglan, wasn't you the one who kept on shouting that you wanted to kill me? Now that you are being controlled by me, tell me, should I kill you or not?" Jiang Chen said plainly.

His tone was full of sarcasm. No doubt, such a scene could be described as an irony – one of the most powerful geniuses had now become a prey for Jiang Chen ready to be slaughtered.

Yun Canglan's face paled. He only felt the pain in his severed arm. His entire body had already been enshrouded by the shadow of death. Jiang Chen had already locked on all his Qi. At any second, the Heavenly Saint Sword could take his life; he didn't even have the chance to escape.

"Don't-don't kill me Jiang Chen. As long as you don't kill me, all the grudges that the Yun Family has against you will be cleared. You should know the scariness of Yun Family. I'm the Young

Master of Yun Family, the son of the Patriarch. If you kill me, my dad will never let you go. By that time, there's no place in the whole One-Line-Sky for you to hide anymore."

Yun Canglan begged for mercy, at the same time not forgetting to threaten Jiang Chen. To him, such a threat was very effective. After all his identity wasn't ordinary. Like Huangfu Zhan, not only he was the number one genius of his family, he's also the Young Master and the precious son of the patriarch. He believed that Jiang Chen should know about the consequences of killing him. It was something that Jiang Chen couldn't even bear.

Unfortunately, Yun Canglan knew Jiang Chen too little. If he understood Jiang Chen, he wouldn't have spoken such unhealthy words. Such a threat wouldn't have an impact to Jiang Chen. Yun Canglan had basically been labeled a sworn enemy from the moment he decided to kill Jiang Chen.

"Oh? I never thought that you are the Young Master of Yun Family." Jiang Chen feigned a surprised look.

"That's right. You should know the weight of my existence. Killing me won't bring you any good."

Upon seeing Jiang Chen's astonished look, Yun Canglan was even more convinced that he could oppress Jiang Chen with his identity and draw fear out of Jiang Chen. He believed that the person who would dare to kill the Young Master of Yun Family had yet to appear.

"This is surely great, killing a Young Master is my most favorite thing."

Jiang Chen said, then exerted and swung the sword, cutting off Yun Canglan's head with a Pu-Chi sound. An outstanding genius and the Young Master of Yun Family had just ended up in a tragic death. They were afraid that Yun Family wouldn't be able to imagine such an outcome from the beginning.

To Jiang Chen, killing Yun Canglan was a must. No matter what kind of identity Yun Canglan had. The grudges between him and Yun Family were already irreconcilable. So, keeping Yun Canglan alive would only leave a scourge behind.

“Dammit! He killed Brother Canglan!”

“This is over. Brother Canglan is dead. Patriarch will surely be outraged this time.”

“This damned bastard! Our family will certainly be at odds with him.”

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Each of their eyes went red. Each of them badly wanted to shred Jiang Chen to pieces. However, their logic took over them in the end. They knew very well that lunging forward now was no different from dying. Jiang Chen would never even blink once if he killed them. After all, Jiang Chen was a frenzied and murderous devil.

After killing Yun Canglan, Jiang Chen turned to the dazed Huangfu Zhan. Of all of these so-called supreme geniuses of One-Line-Sky, he would never let anyone of them go. It had always been Jiang Chen’s motto to wipe out everything the moment he had decided to do that.

“It’s your turn. I wonder if you are also the Young Master of Huangfu Family.” Jiang Chen said flatly.

“That’s correct. I’m the Young Master of Huangfu Family, but it won’t be easy for you to kill me.”

Huangfu Zhan spoke coldly. A sharp combat blade appeared in his hand. The huge sword was gleaming and its killing intent was surging. He believed that Yun Canglan’s death was merely an accident. If he had a full-fledged battle with Jiang Chen, he was certain that he could fight against Jiang Chen. After all, he was a true Golden Immortal expert and Jiang Chen was merely a Divine

Immortal no matter how monstrous he was.

“Good spirit. I like it.”

Jiang Chen nodded. Huangfu Zhan’s morale was stronger than Yun Canglan, but this wouldn’t be enough for Jiang Chen to not kill him.

Roar!

The Heavenly Saint Sword let out a roar and then turned into a true dragon, charging towards Huangfu Zhan. From afar, Tuo Hai was paying close attention to the battle and Jiang Chen’s true strength. It seemed like he didn’t have any intention of lending Huangfu Zhan a hand. If Huangfu Zhan was also defeated, he would immediately flee at once.

Chapter 1310 - Not Letting a Single One Go

As a Natal Weapon of Jiang Chen, the Heavenly Saint Sword had always maintained its fundamental strength. As Jiang Chen's cultivation rise, the sword's strength increased as well. Currently, the sword had already become a Peak Divine Rank Immortal Weapon. Its combat strength and power were even scarier than any ordinary Great Luo Immortal Weapon.

When the master becomes extraordinarily powerful, so did his Natal Weapon. Only then could the master and the weapon be compatible.

Seeing Jiang Chen's attack, Huangfu Zhan's expression changed instantly. Those who hadn't fought with Jiang Chen would never know how scary Jiang Chen was. Huangfu Zhan had the same feeling as Yun Canglan earlier. He could feel a tremendous sense of crisis. That was the crisis of an impending death.

Jiang Chen's speed of attack was just too fast. Huangfu Zhan didn't even have a chance to avoid it. All he could do was to resist head-on with all of his might. Furthermore, his overwhelming pride wouldn't allow himself to escape.

He!

Huangfu Zhan shouted, he lifted his combat blade up high. An extremely dazzling blade light erupted from the terrifying combat blade. An enormous sword a dozen meters in size emerged and lunged at Jiang Chen.

The dragon-shaped sword Qi and the might of the combat blade collided, it created a blinding flash of light and an enormous spark, creating a sea of fire. Huangfu Zhan's combat blade couldn't resist Jiang Chen's Heavenly Saint Sword eventually. It was slashed into half on the spot.

This scene was even more terrifying when Yun Canglan's

Turning Clouds Palm was cut in half. Everyone knew that the blade was a Peak Divine Rank Immortal Weapon. How could such a weapon be destroyed so easily? No one could imagine how powerful Jiang Chen's combat sword actually was.

Huangfu Zhan was sent flying away, spurting out blood along the way. Apparently, he had suffered a serious shock from the blow just now. The Patriarch of Huangfu Family planned to gift a true Great Luo Immortal Weapon to Huangfu Zhan the moment he returned from this expedition. He wouldn't have imagined that his son would fall in this ancient tomb.

He only got to stabilize himself after flying for a far distance. Looking at the broken combat blade in his hand, emotions were stirred in his heart. There was no way that he could accept such an outcome. Jiang Chen was simply just too scary and had exceeded his comprehension. He finally understood that he was no longer a match for Jiang Chen.

“Jiang Chen, I will never let today's matter rest.”

Huangfu Zhan left a malicious remark, then spun and fled. There was nothing else that he could do besides running away. He never had any hope that Jiang Chen would show him any mercy as that was only a wishful thinking.

“Want to flee? It's already too late. Five Elemental Spheres.”

How could Jiang Chen give him the chance to escape? If Huangfu Zhan had chosen to leave earlier, perhaps there would still be a chance for him to escape. His combat strength was after all very powerful. If he couldn't fight, then it wouldn't be a problem for him to run away. However, now that he had been severely injured by Jiang Chen, it had become very difficult for him to escape.

The Five Elemental Spheres spread outwards to form an invisible and inescapable net, giving Huangfu Zhan no chance of escaping even if he was granted with two extra pairs of wings.

Upon seeing what had happened, Tuo Hai's expression changed greatly. After witnessing Jiang Chen's power, he knew that there was already a gap between him and Jiang Chen. At this time, if he still didn't run away, he would lose his chance forever. Huangfu Zhan would die for sure and he absolutely didn't want to end up like Huangfu Zhan and Yun Canglan. As for vengeance, he could always settle it some other day.

"Senior Brother Bu, help me stop Tuo Hai."

Jiang Chen shouted. Even after killing Huangfu Zhan and Yun Canglan, he wouldn't let Tuo Hai go. The conflicts between him and Profound Sun Sect started much earlier than his conflict with Yun and Huangfu Family. Today, Tuo Hai must die. After he exterminate Tian Muyun in the future, he would have to strike the other three major powers. At that time, he would conquer the whole One-Line-Sky to realize Ouyang He's dreams and aspirations. Therefore, these geniuses were going to be his enemy sooner or later, and he naturally wouldn't be lenient to them.

Bu Qingfeng was still in a daze as he still couldn't grasp Jiang Chen's overpowering dominance, however, Jiang Chen's shout had shaken him off the daze.

"Alright."

Bu Qingfeng nodded and appeared before Tuo Hai in a flash, blocking his path.

"Bu Qingfeng, step aside." Tuo Hai clenched his teeth.

"Tuo Hai, you finally understand what fear is? Why don't you show your heroic spirit and stay and fight with my Junior Brother Jiang? Didn't you want to kill him so badly? If you go and kill him now, I won't stop you." Bu Qingfeng said in a strange tone.

Tuo Hai almost coughed up blood. Why is Bu Qingfeng blocking his path? Isn't he just seeking his death by asking him to fight Jiang Chen now?

“Argh.....”

On the other side, a terrible cry was heard. Huangfu Zhan had already died in the hands of Jiang Chen. He was cut into halves by Jiang Chen. It was a miserable way of dying. The Young Master of Huangfu Family had fallen just like that. Every disciple of Huangfu Family mourned loudly. There was nothing else that they could do other than watch their Young Master being killed. Jiang Chen was too overpowering, totally way beyond their reach.

Huangfu Zhan's death was like a sharp thorn stabbed into Tuo Hai's heart. He suddenly felt that the world was coming to an end, he couldn't believe that he was actually already so close to death.

“Bu Qingfeng, get lost!”

Tuo Hai's face went red. He swung his combat sword violently at Bu Qingfeng. He had exerted almost all of his strength to launch this strike. Presently, he was hoping for a path to survive, a path to escape from this ancient tomb. This was his final desire and wishful hope.

It was a pity that he was equally matched with Bu Qingfeng. In all of their fights, the clear victor had never been determined. Although it was impossible for Bu Qingfeng to kill him, however, it was also totally effortless for Bu Qingfeng to get him entangled in battle. Regardless of how much effort Tuo Hai put in, he wouldn't be able to break free from Bu Qingfeng and leave this place.

On the other side, after killing Huangfu Zhan, Jiang Chen raced towards Tuo Hai holding his Heavenly Saint Sword.

Jiang Chen's speed was too quick. He appeared in front of Tuo Hai in a blink. At this time, Bu Qingfeng had already withdrawn his attack, he knew that the following matter wouldn't involve him anymore. He shook his head while looking at Tuo Hai and sighed. He knew that Tuo Hai was already finished today. Given Jiang Chen's ruthlessness, he would never give Tuo Hai the chance of surviving.

Similarly, Bu Qingfeng's view on Jiang Chen had changed dramatically. Jiang Chen was just way too scary. He felt lucky that he was standing on the same side with Jiang Chen, if he acted just like the other three geniuses had acted – besieging Jiang Chen to seize the Immortal Execution Order. If that was really the case, he was afraid that he would most probably end up just like them.

Chapter 1311 - The Devil King

“Tuo Hai, accept your fate.”

Bu Qingfeng said plainly and retreated. He and Tuo Hai had been sworn enemies for a long time. No one could remember how many times they had fought along the years. Now that his arch-enemy was going to die, he felt somewhat crestfallen as if he had lost something.

Hu... *Hu...*

Invisible storm waves whirled. Tuo Hai was completely locked by Jiang Chen. He was doomed. There was no way he could escape. The combat sword in his hand was trembling. He was a first class genius of Profound Sun Sect, with a brilliantly bright future. He never thought that he would die one day, much less dying in Jiang Chen's hands, because he had never looked up to Jiang Chen. Only a short while ago, Jiang Chen was just like an ant to him, not worthy of being his enemy.

But now, the situation had been completely overturned. He had become an insect before Jiang Chen instead, a prey that could be killed at any second. What a great irony!

“Jiang... Jiang Chen, please, I don't want to die yet.”

Tuo Hai's tone was quivering. Those who feared death were at their weakest state in the face of death.

“Oh? Then give me a reason why I shouldn't kill you.” Jiang Chen said, seeming intrigued.

A reason for not killing him?

Jiang Chen's words stunned Tuo Hai because he couldn't think of a reason for Jiang Chen not to kill him. Even Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan were killed. Why would Jiang Chen keep him alive? To leave a trouble behind? If it were him, he would also not let his enemy live.

It seemed he was definitely going to die.

“Jiang Chen, I will fight you!”

Tuo Hai roared all of a sudden. Both of his eyes went red. He gripped the sword and lunged at Jiang Chen. Since he couldn't find a reason for Jiang Chen to let him go, he might as well fight Jiang Chen with all his might even though he knew there was no hope.

Swoosh!

Just as Tuo Hai moved, Jiang Chen acted. After losing his rationality, he had completely lost the qualification to fight his opponent. Jiang Chen vanished from where he was like a specter. The next moment his long sword penetrated through Tuo Hai's chest.

Tuo Hai lowered his head to look at the hilt of the sword below. Feeling the continuous loss of vitality in his body, he felt reluctant and regretful, but now all emotions were of no use anymore. He could already see the gates of hell opening in front of him. He began to ponder on his glorious life. All of these would become a past, and soon, his name would be forgotten in One-Line-Sky. His death would only become Jiang Chen's glory and a stepping stone in Jiang Chen's path.

The atmosphere was silent. Yun Canglan, Huangfu Zhan and Tuo Hai were dead. Of the four supreme geniuses of One-Line-Sky, three had died. Bu Qingfeng was the only Golden Immortal genius who was alive. Jiang Chen would never kill him because he was on the same side as Jiang Chen. They were friends, not enemies.

Jiang Chen turned back to his human form. His white clothes and dark hair fluttered in the air. His deep and bottomless eyes revealed the light of a war god. That was right. He was the war god, a peerless war god. Anyone who provoked him was destined to end up badly.

Everyone was looking at the silhouette in astonishment. The

disciples of Skycloud Pavilion seemed incomparably excited. They all knew that a rare genius had emerged in Skycloud Pavilion. This genius would surpass Tian Muyun sooner or later. With a genius like Jiang Chen in Skycloud Pavilion, there was no way they couldn't thrive.

The disciples of the other three major powers were grieving. They had suffered enormous losses during the expedition in the ancient tomb. The death of the three great geniuses would definitely deal a great blow to the higher ups of their major powers. Under this kind of provocation, One-Line-Sky would never be calm again. The death of Yun Canglan and Huangfu Zhan were extremely significant. They were the Young Masters of their families, the most important figures as they would inherit the family's future and hope. Now, everything perished.

“The Son of Heaven is rising. The three supreme geniuses have become his stepping stones.”

“I can foresee a big chaos in One-Line-Sky. The three major powers will never let this matter rest, which will still be very dangerous for Jiang Chen.”

“This is a miracle. Jiang Chen is truly a heaven defying person. I'm sure he is still able to produce more miracles. Though there are many people who want him dead, he's still alive until now, isn't he?”

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Innumerable experts marveled. All of them knew that Jiang Chen's reputation would climb to the peak once he left the ancient tomb. Being the Son of Heaven, he was destined to rise among the young generation.

“Jiang Chen, you are going to pay a hefty price for what you did today. You are going to die very tragically.”

A half-step Golden Immortal genius of Huangfu Family

threatened.

Whoosh!

Too bad, just as his words faded, Jiang Chen's sword slashed over. Without even having the chance to wail, he was slashed to death on the spot. Many shook their heads and sighed at the genius' behavior. He must have some serious problem with his intelligence. Wasn't he asking for death by threatening Jiang Chen at this time? Jiang Chen dared to kill even Huangfu Zhan, would he mind to kill another expert?

"It seems these half-step Golden Immortal geniuses are too arrogant. In that case, I will exterminate all of you. This will multiply the losses your sects." Jiang Chen was cruel and ruthless. He had always been incisive on killings.

"What?"

After hearing what Jiang Chen said, most half-step Golden Immortals yelled all of a sudden. Each of them revealed a horrified look.

"Jiang Chen, do you have any idea what you are doing?" A man from Profound Sun Sect spoke.

"Of course."

Jiang Chen didn't bother to continue conversing. He brandished his Heavenly Saint Sword. One after another, the sword light rushed out towards the half-step Golden Immortals. Their facial expression changed drastically. They were helpless. There was nothing they could do other than waiting for the arrival of their death.

"Argh..." "Argh..." "Argh..."

With several screams, all the half-step Golden Immortals of the three major powers died on the spot. In other words, all the great geniuses of the three major powers that came into the ancient tomb were dead. The fact was unimaginable and unbearable. The

young generation was the true future and hope for a major power. Killing these geniuses were akin to destroying their foundations. It was conceivable how angry the three major powers would become after knowing what happened.

The weaker disciples of the three major powers were scared to death. Despite their anger, they wouldn't dare to say another word. In their hearts, Jiang Chen was a frenzied devil king that killed people. Any unnecessary words would probably lead to death, not only to the individual who spoke, but also the entire batch. Judging by Jiang Chen's power, it wasn't impossible if he wanted to bury all of them here. Therefore, none of them would dare to go provoke this great devil king.

Chapter 1312 - The Spatial Zone Collapsed

“It’s over. I’m afraid the higher-ups of the three major powers are going to cry after knowing that they have lost so many geniuses. They are supposed to find treasures in this ancient tomb, but they found nothing instead.”

“I can already imagine their fury . I’m afraid that it’s going to burn the whole One-Line-Sky.”

“I wonder if Skycloud Pavilion can keep Jiang Chen safe once he leaves this ancient tomb. If Skycloud Pavilion insists on protecting Jiang Chen, Skycloud Pavilion would surely be attacked by the three major powers. Tian Muyun certainly can’t afford to bear it.”

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Hong Long.....

Just at this moment, the earth trembled all of a sudden, and then the entire spatial zone began to shake. It felt as if the spatial zone was cracking.

“Not good. Jiang Chen has taken the Immortal Execution Order and the Immortal Burying Coffin is gone. The spatial zone is going to lose its support and crumble.”

“Quickly, go. If the spatial zone crumbles, everyone is going to die here.”

“Let’s get out of here now!”

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The Immortal Burying Coffin and the Immortal Execution Order were the main pillars of this spatial zone. Now that they were gone, the ancient tomb wouldn’t be able to sustain it any longer and would crumble soon.

The collapse of the spatial zone wasn’t a small deal. Anyone trapped inside would die for sure unless he was an Immortal King

expert.

Jiang Chen didn't move. He couldn't return to One-Line-Sky now. He could already imagine what would happen if he emerged in One-Line-Sky now. He was carrying too many secrets – the wondrous rock, heart of magma, Immortal Execution Order and more importantly, the ability to come out of the Evil Abyss alive. Even if the three major powers believed that Jiang Chen never entered the Evil Abyss, Tian Muyun would never believe it. At that time, he wouldn't be able to go through Tian Muyun unhindered.

Furthermore, Jiang Chen had killed so many geniuses from the three major powers here. If he returned at this time, those old experts outside would surely shred him to pieces as soon as they saw him.

“I can't go back to One-Line-Sky now. The matter here has already been resolved anyway. I can return to the Evil Abyss now, but definitely not Skycloud Pavilion. The next time I return to Skycloud Pavilion, will be the time Tian Muyun and I fight a decisive battle.” Jiang Chen spoke in his heart.

He turned his palm. A pale yellowish talisman appeared in his hand. The spatial Qi was drifting on top of it. This was a spatial talisman given by the Evil Lord, Yang Bufan when he left the Evil Abyss. The purpose of it was to get him back to the Evil Abyss straightaway.

As long as he was within the boundary of One-Line-Sky, it wouldn't be difficult for him to get back into Evil Abyss, however, getting out of the abyss would surely be difficult.

However, the place he was at right now was a spatial zone, not One-Line-Sky. This was the spatial zone of the ancient tomb which was a totally different world from One-Line-Sky. This was a world built personally by an expert. The spatial talisman in his hand wouldn't be useful here.

Therefore, he must wait. He had to wait for the moment the

spatial zone crumble, then connect the Qi outside to use the spatial talisman and escape. Without a doubt, such an act was surely too dangerous. He must have absolute timing.

If he was an ordinary person, he wouldn't be so sure, but Jiang Chen was different. His perceptive ability was incomparably sharp. He had once mastered the spatial law back in Saint Origin World. He was greatly endowed with talent. Adding the fact that he cultivated the Great Soul Derivation Technique, it wouldn't be a problem for him to leave at the right time using the spatial talisman.

When that time came, he would leave and disappear without a trace. The three major powers wouldn't be able to find him even if they overturned the whole One-Line-Sky. Even the crafty Tian Muyun wouldn't be able to figure out that he was able to enter and exit the Evil Abyss so freely.

The deaths of Yun Canglan and the other supreme geniuses caused heavy losses to the three major powers. Naturally, this would throw the entire One-Line-Sky into chaos. But this didn't concern Jiang Chen at all as he had to deal with the turbulence in the Evil Abyss first.

Countless of cultivators had already left. In order to survive, none of them could afford to keep track of Jiang Chen. Bu Qingfeng didn't even noticed if Jiang Chen had already exited the spatial zone. None of them thought that Jiang Chen would stay inside. After all, the spatial zone was going to collapse soon. No one would be stupid enough to stay inside to die.

At this moment, outside the main doors of the ancient tomb, the higher ups of the four major powers were chit-chatting. They seemed to have high confidence in their geniuses in the expedition of the ancient tomb.

Hong Long.....

All of a sudden, the closed doors of the ancient tomb collapsed.

The spatial zone in front was shaking. Spatial waves were flowing back and forth. Their faces changed instantly, especially the patriarchs of the four major powers. Every one of them was a half-step Immortal King expert that had already mastered the early stage of spatial law. They were able to sense the huge spatial movement inside.

“Not good. The spatial zone inside is crumbling.”

“I wonder what has happened inside. It’s going to take some time for it to collapse. The people inside should still have the chance to escape.”

“What exactly has happened? Why would the solid ancient tomb be collapsing all of a sudden? It’s not even seven days yet.”

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Numerous experts were petrified, not knowing what had happened inside, but they were certain that something big must have happened inside. None of them had ever predicted that such an event would suddenly take place.

Hong Long.....

The roaring sound was getting louder and heavier. The void began to crack. One by one, silhouettes of experts were flying out of the spatial zone. That was because the crumbled doors wasn’t sealed yet. Once it was sealed, all of them would be trapped and die inside.

As for Jiang Chen, he had already found a point connecting to the border of One-Line-Sky. He crushed the spatial talisman in his hand. An illusory portal appeared. The portal trembled intensely. Apparently, it was greatly affected by the collapsing spatial zone. If it wasn’t because of his precise timing, he was afraid that the passageway of Evil Abyss would be destroyed immediately.

“Humph! One-Line-Sky. Take as much time as you can. Once you are done with it, I will be back. When I return, I’m going to settle

all the scores. That will be the day when I change the whole One-Line-Sky.”

Jiang Chen revealed a trace of a smile, then strode into the portal. The portal closed before the spatial zone of the ancient tomb collapsed completely.

Chapter 1313 - The Wrath of the Three Major Powers

Jiang Chen was gone. No one knew about it. It felt as if he was never there, it's like his existence was an unfathomable mystery.

Outside the ancient tomb, countless of silhouettes surged out simultaneously. Every one of them looked pale, they couldn't help feeling frightened when they thought about the scene inside the tomb. A single carelessness could lead them to their deaths.

Whizz... *Whizz...* *Whizz...*

More and more people exited the tomb. All of them were doing their best to escape for their lives. Death might be awaiting them if they were a little slower.

Hong Long.....

Along with a final explosion, the whole the ancient tomb collapsed. Now, the ancient spatial zone that had existed for an unknown number of years was gone for good. One-Line-Sky had once again returned to its peaceful condition, but countless of them were still in the state of shock.

When the disciples saw their respective camp, they quickly flew over to join them, however, they had yet to leave as they knew something big was going to happen. It was also highly likely that One-Line-Sky would plunge into chaos.

“What's going on? What happened in there? Where's Canglan and the rest? Why haven't they come out?”

The Patriarch of Yun Family, Yun Zhonghe, felt that something wasn't right. He knitted his brows and asked the core disciples. Not just Yun Family, but also the higher ups of the Huangfu Family and Profound Sun Sect. It wasn't right that their top geniuses weren't even out yet whereas all the geniuses of Skycloud Pavilion were present.

“Patriarch, Brother Canglan and the rest of the geniuses are already dead.”

A disciple said with a saddened face. Fear was lingering in his heart when he recalled the incidents that happened in the ancient tomb.

“What?”

Yun Zhonghe exclaimed, so did the other higher ups. The seniors of Huangfu Family and Profound Sun Sect were also dumbfounded. They simply couldn't accept that their geniuses had died. This result was truly unbelievable and unimaginable.

“How could this happen? How did Canglan died? Tell me, quickly!”

Yun Zhonghe became so angry his beard was trembling. Yun Canglan was his own son, the Young Master and the greatest genius in Yun Family and the greatest pride of his life, but now his son was dead. How could he ever accept that?

“Jiang Chen, it was Jiang Chen! It was Jiang Chen who killed all of them!”

The disciple replied emotionally. His voice quivered when he mentioned Jiang Chen's name. Jiang Chen's ferocity had already left a great shadow in his heart. That was a devil king. That man wasn't even a human.

“Jiang Chen!”

The name which had already been forgotten by the people rumbled in their ears once more like a thunder strike. It shocked not only the three major powers, but also the higher ups of Skycloud Pavilion, including Tian Muyun, Yang Shu and Tianji Zi, who had their mouths wide open, doubting what they had just heard was correct.

“This is impossible, I personally sent Jiang Chen into the Evil Abyss. He can't appear in this ancient tomb. Furthermore, even if

he did appear, he doesn't have the ability to kill Yun Canglan."

Tian Muyun denied at once. He absolutely wouldn't believe what had happened inside. He knew the situation of Jiang Chen better than anyone of them. Anyone who entered the Evil Abyss could never come out of it. He had once lamented the loss of a great genius because of this.

"Bu Qingfeng, you tell them."

Tianji Zi looked at Bu Qingfeng. His facial expression tensed. Jiang Chen was a disciple that he treasured the most. He had been feeling miserable ever since Jiang Chen went into the Evil Abyss. He regretted why he hadn't did his best to stop his stubborn disciple. As to whether Jiang Chen could walk out of the Evil Abyss alive, he had no idea, but now that Jiang Chen had appeared again, he naturally would like to know more about it.

"Pavilion Master, Elder Tianji, indeed, it was Junior Brother Jiang who did it. Not only did Junior Brother Jiang exited the Evil Abyss alive, but he has also improved tremendously in the ancient tomb. Yun Canglan, Tuo Hai and Huangfu Zhan wanted to kill him, but they were killed by Junior Brother Jiang in the end instead." Bu Qingfeng didn't dare hide the truth and spoke.

"What?"

Tian Muyun exclaimed once more. If this didn't came out from Bu Qingfeng's mouth, he would never believe it.

"Hehe! That brat didn't let me down after all. He actually walked out of Evil Abyss alive and had such massive improvement. Yun Canglan is a first class mighty Golden Immortal genius who has a strength similar to ordinary intermediate Golden Immortal expert. Despite that, he was still killed by that brat. Ze Ze..."

Tianji Zi was chuckling in his heart. It was simply a great blessing to have such a disciple in his life. As for the great disaster that was caused by Jiang Chen, he didn't mind it at all. To be a

truly superior person, one needed to do earth-shattering things and this made Tianji Zi proud.

“Dammit! That bastard actually walked out of Evil Abyss alive and had even improved so much.”

Yang Zhu clenched his teeth. Last time, Skycloud Pavilion was stirred because of the matter of Qu Yuan, but the final solution was favorable to him, however, who would have thought that Jiang Chen would be so unpredictable and could even walk out of Evil Abyss alive? How could Yang Shu not hate Jiang Chen even more than before?

“Where’s Jiang Chen?”

The sect master of Profound Sun Sect, Dugu Sheng, sounded extremely cold. Judging from his looks, if Jiang Chen was present in front of him now, he would have already sent a slap to him.

Dugu Sheng’s question had reminded anyone to look for that extraordinary man. The experts who had yet to regain their senses looked around in all directions, but found no trace of Jiang Chen. Someone recalled that during the last moment before the spatial zone completely collapsed, Jiang Chen was still inside.

“Sect Master, that bastard is extremely cunning. I’m afraid that he has already fled away.”

The disciple spoke. Dugu Sheng, Huangfu Yaotian and Yun Zhonghe unleashed their divine sense, covering a few thousand miles of the area, but no trace of Jiang Chen’s Qi was found.

“Dammit! That son of a b*tch is really courting death! How dare he kill my son?!”

Huangfu Yaotian grieved loudly. The thought of losing his son was agonizing.

“What a good Jiang Chen! I have really underestimated you.”

Tian Muyun frowned. Jiang Chen’s emergence has already been

confirmed. He had made great contributions on behalf of Skycloud Pavilion during this trip in the ancient tomb, but that didn't make Tian Muyun happy, Jiang Chen's appearance had just stolen his spotlight. Despite being the number one genius in One-Line-Sky, he suddenly felt a sense of inferiority when comparing himself to Jiang Chen. This was something that he had never felt before and he hated this feeling very much.

Chapter 1314 - Searching for Jiang Chen

“What exactly happened inside?” Yun Zhonghe looked over at a disciple of Yun Family and asked.

“Patriarch. All valuable treasures in the ancient tomb have been gotten by Jiang Chen...”

The disciple told him everything that happened inside the tomb without attempting to hide anything. His voice was loud and clear. Everyone on the scene heard it clearly.

The wondrous rock, the heart of magma, the Immortal Burying Coffin, the female corpse and the Immortal Execution Order – every one of it came out of the disciple’s mouth, causing the One-Line Eight Immortals to gape at him, especially when they heard about the Immortal Execution Order and the Immortal Burying Coffin. Their reaction was almost identical to those who were in the ice palace before.

The Immortal Burying Coffin and the Immortal Execution Order were related to Great Sovereign Zang Xian and Immortal Execution King. If they knew that these great items were inside the ancient tomb before, they would’ve joined the expedition themselves.

“My God! I had never thought that this miniature ancient tomb could hide such a huge secret. Even the Immortal Burying Coffin and the Immortal Execution Order were in there. Great Sovereign Zang Xian is a renowned sovereign in the Immortal World. How could his Natal Weapon appear in a small place like One-Line-Sky?”

“Unfortunately, we didn’t go in and witnessed that legendary item.”

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Everyone was shocked. Although they were the overlords of One-Line-Sky, a mighty Immortal Sovereign was still an unsurpassed

existence to them, an existence that they could never reach in their lifetime. Every Great Sovereign that was born was destined to be extraordinary and well-known.

“So, does this mean that Jiang Chen has also taken the Immortal Execution Order?” Dugu Sheng asked coldly.

The Immortal Execution Order was what they were most concerned about. The wondrous rock and heart of magma weren't something as important. Anyone who obtained the Immortal Execution Order could make a request from the Immortal Execution King. Thus, the order itself was an invaluable treasure, it was incomparable to any kind of treasures as that was akin to a promise made by the Immortal Execution King himself.

Even if they weren't capable enough to meet the Immortal Execution King, with the Immortal Execution Order in hand, it would be possible for them to do so.

“Yes indeed, Jiang Chen has also taken the Immortal Execution Order,” someone replied.

“Good, good. That son of a b*tch really is insane. He has killed so many of our geniuses just for the Immortal Execution Order. I definitely won't let today's matter rest.”

Huangfu Yaotian was furious, he was filled with hatred especially since his son was killed. Plus, Jiang Chen's existence had made him feel a sense of crisis. Looking back, the time Jiang Chen stepped into one of his ore mines and destroyed it up to the present wasn't a long time. To be able to grow from an insect-like figure to this extent within such a short period of time was heaven defying. No one would believe it if it wasn't for real.

By this time, the only thing that the three major powers could do was to eliminate him as soon as possible. A man like him was just too scary. They couldn't allow him to continue growing, or else, it wouldn't take long before they lost control over him. The moment Jiang Chen matured, it would surely be their end.

The three overlords exchanged a glance with one another and understood what their next move was. The three of them turned to Skycloud Pavilion's group at the same time.

"Tian Muyun, you have used a really good card, aren't you? All of us have been fooled by you," Dugu Sheng said coldly.

"Dugu Sheng, what do you mean?"

Tian Muyun was in a terrible mood, so he naturally didn't sound very kind.

"What do he means? Tian Muyun, do you still want to pretend even at this time? You have announced that you have already sent Jiang Chen into the Evil Abyss personally, but Jiang Chen has just appeared in the ancient tomb. How do you explain this? We have lost so many geniuses and this has a direct relationship with you." Yun Zhonghe spoke coldly.

They weren't fools. They were able to figure out the dirty trick that Tian Muyun had used. They all believed that although Jiang Chen was heaven defying, he could never walk out of the Evil Abyss alive. So the only explanation was that Jiang Chen had never entered the Evil Abyss to begin with. All of these were just a conspiracy. It was a method that Tian Muyun used to protect Jiang Chen, secretly buying time for Jiang Chen to grow.

Yang Shu, who was standing next to Tian Muyun, was frowning at the Pavilion Master. At this point, even he had some doubts. After all, he was absent when Tian Muyun sent Jiang Chen into the Evil Abyss. He, too, thought that Jiang Chen had never entered the Evil Abyss, he also didn't believe that Jiang Chen could do the impossible, exiting the Evil Abyss alive.

The one who understood Jiang Chen's situation best was Tianji Zi. He was certain that Jiang Chen had been sent into the Evil Abyss. He didn't care how depressed the others were feeling right now because he was overjoyed that his disciple was so capable.

“Humph! I, Tian Muyun, have always acted in an open and transparent manner. Like I said, I have already sent him into the Evil Abyss. As to how he could exit the Evil Abyss, I don’t know. I can personally assure you that I have sent Jiang Chen into that world. Whether you believe it or not is up to all of you. I don’t think that there’s a need for me to explain this in detail to you all.”

Tian Muyun spoke coldly. Given his haughtiness, he would never make a lengthy explanation to anyone.

“Tian Muyun, I don’t care if what you are saying is true or false. Now that this incident has happened, we have to claim our justice. My son can’t die in vain. I hope you can hand over Jiang Chen to us.” Yun Zhonghe said.

Upon hearing this, Tian Muyun felt the urge to explode. He himself also wanted to find Jiang Chen, he wanted to find this young genius even more than anyone here. He wanted to know how Jiang Chen got out of Evil Abyss and how the Immortal Execution Order looked like.

“Yun Zhonghe, are you blind? We have been standing here all the while. Have you ever seen Jiang Chen come out? If you all don’t know where he is, how am I going to know? If I were you all, I won’t be standing here talking nonsense, but instead look for traces of Jiang Chen.”

Tian Muyun spoke. As a matter of fact, he wanted to look for traces of Jiang Chen himself. One thing was certain, Jiang Chen had indeed walked out of Evil Abyss alive, but he had never appeared here. This indicated that Jiang Chen had already anticipated this situation ahead of time and secretly escaped.

Dugu Sheng and the others faces were sullen, however, what Tian Muyun said was true. After all, it was impossible for Tian Muyun to hide Jiang Chen right in front of their faces. The only explanation was that Jiang Chen had already fled. What they needed to do now was to look for him and take him out to prevent

him from growing any stronger.

Chapter 1315 - Supreme Order to Kill

The three major powers originally wanted to exert pressure on Tian Muyun, or even exterminate the whole Skycloud Pavilion, however, they couldn't do so because Jiang Chen's existence threatened them. Such a threat was even greater than Skycloud Pavilion. Therefore, their immediate priority was to eliminate Jiang Chen first instead of waging war against Skycloud Pavilion.

Whether Jiang Chen was personally sent into the Evil Abyss by Tian Muyun or not was no longer important to them. What was more important was to find Jiang Chen as soon as possible. As for their score with Tian Muyun, they would have to settle it later.

"Jiang Chen, as long as you are in One-Line-Sky, you won't be able to escape even if you have three heads and six arms." Dugu Sheng clenched his teeth and said. He had reasons to believe that there was nowhere that Jiang Chen could hide in One-Line-Sky.

"Every expert of Huangfu Family, listen up! Begin the search for Jiang Chen. We have to find him even if we have to dig our way into the ground!" Huangfu Yaotian clamored.

"I now issue the Supreme Order to Kill Jiang Chen to everyone in Yun Family. Seek for the traces of Jiang Chen across the entire One-Line-Sky. All rogue cultivators, listen up, if any of you can provide any news of Jiang Chen, Yun Family will reward you handsomely," Yun Zhonghe commanded.

For an instant, the three major powers issued the order to kill to Jiang Chen. This had become the biggest event in One-Line-Sky.

Jiang Chen's reputation was destined to rise to the peak. It was the first time that the three major powers had joined forces just to hunt down one man. This fact alone could spread Jiang Chen's name across the world.

Afterwards, the experts of the three major powers left with the

knowledge that from today onwards, there would be no peace in One-Line-Sky anymore, not until they find Jiang Chen.

“Pavilion Master, what do we do now? If the three major powers can’t find Junior Brother Jiang, they will eventually vent their anger on our Skycloud Pavilion.” Bu Qingfeng said with concern. As a first-rate genius, he was qualified to speak in front of Tian Muyun.

“Humph! Skycloud Pavilion isn’t a sect that can be easily bullied. I’m going into seclusion within the next few days. The moment I advanced to the true Immortal King realm, it will be their end.” Tian Muyun harrumphed coldly.

“Congratulations Pavilion Master. It seems like Pavilion Master has already grasped the threshold of the Immortal King realm,” said Daoist Yufeng.

Daoist Yufeng had seen Tian Muyun grow up and knew Tian Muyun’s extraordinary talent. He had long expected that Tian Muyun would become the first Immortal King in One-Line-Sky. Now, it seemed like it wouldn’t take long for this day to come. As long as Tian Muyun advanced to the Immortal King realm, it would be the rise of Skycloud Pavilion. By that time, they would surely conquer the entire One-Line-Sky.

“That’s right. I am incredibly close to the Immortal King realm now. All I need now is time. When I go into seclusion, you all will go look for Jiang Chen. If he’s found, bring him to see me,” Tian Muyun said.

“Rest assured Pavilion Master. Jiang Chen is one of the most remarkable talents that we’ve ever seen in ten thousand years. We will naturally attach great importance to him.” Daoist Yufeng said.

Ouyang He and Daoist Yufeng went way back. All these years, the both of them had built Skycloud Pavilion together, making it one of the four strongest major powers. Daoist Yufeng earned half of the credit for that. Naturally, Ouyang He’s death made him grieve.

Fortunately, Tian Muyun was still alive, which had given him some hope.

He was thinking that if Tian Muyun could conquer the whole One-Line-Sky one day, Ouyang He would certainly be gratified.

Unfortunately, the poor Daoist Yufeng had been kept in the dark. If he knew that Ouyang He's death was caused by Tian Muyun, it was highly likely that he would certainly go wild instead of speaking so politely to Tian Muyun.

“En.”

Tian Muyun nodded, he then turned into a ray of light and vanished. The experts of Skycloud Pavilion soon followed.

“Elder Yang, my monstrous disciple isn't dead yet. I'm sorry that you are disappointed.”

How could Tianji Zi miss out the chance to sneer at Yang Shu? It was because of Yang Shu that Jiang Chen was sent to the Evil Abyss, and this matter had been bugging him until just a while ago. But now, seeing Yang Shu's sullen face made him feel ecstatic.

“Why are you being all over yourself? That son of a b*tch has created such a mess. Do you think that he can still actually survive this?” Yang Shu said coldly.

“It's very unfortunate that this matter would certainly disappoint Elder Yang Shu again. This old man has just divined that my disciple would live for hundreds of years and won't die so easily.”

After Tianji Zi finished speaking, he waved his sleeve and left in an arrogant way. Of course, he hadn't divined anything for Jiang Chen, his Great Divination Art couldn't divine anything from Jiang Chen, not even Jiang Chen's luck. However, he still believed that Jiang Chen was going to live a long life. A person who could exit the Evil Abyss and escape from all the experts of One-Line-Sky would never die so easily.

“Conceited old man!”

Yang Shu couldn't help but curse Tianji Zi's fading image. The fact that Jiang Chen was still alive had put him in a very bad mood. That bastard was just too scary. There would certainly be endless troubles if that bastard isn't killed. Given the grudges between him and Jiang Chen, Jiang Chen would certainly not let him go.

Therefore, he had decided that he would personally look for Jiang Chen. Once he found him, he would kill him straightaway and root out any future troubles.

Soon, all the experts had left the scene. The atmosphere across the entire One-Line-Sky was filled with the smell of gunpowder (tension).

“Jiang Chen is truly amazing. I was afraid that he would be discovered by the higher-ups as soon as he come out. But I had never thought that he would just vanish without a trace, just like how he disappeared while fighting Yun Canglan.”

“Although he managed to escape, One-Line-Sky won't have its peace. The three major powers have already issued the Supreme Order to Kill, which was the first time in the history of One-Line-Sky. I'm sure that only Jiang Chen could have such glory.”

“Do you all think that they can find Jiang Chen?”

“I think they can't. Although the joint efforts of the three major powers is huge, Jiang Chen isn't very easy to find. You all should already know that after witnessing his means.”

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Many people were in discussion. The incidents that happened in the ancient tomb would surely spread across the entire One-Line-Sky sooner or later in great speed. The three major powers had virtually covered the whole One-Line-Sky, leaving Jiang Chen no place to hide, but plenty of them still believed that Jiang Chen wouldn't be easily found, as he had already created too many

miracles.

As a matter of fact, even if the three major powers overturned the entire One-Line-Sky, they still wouldn't be able to find a trace of Jiang Chen because Jiang Chen wasn't in One-Line-Sky anymore, he had already returned to Evil Abyss.

The spatial talisman given by Yang Bufan was directly connected to Evil City, the place where Yang Bufan resided. As long as Jiang Chen used the spatial talisman, he would be able to arrive in Evil City and reunite with Yang Bufan.

Chapter 1316 - The Dignity of Immortal King

In the discussion hall of the Prefecture in Evil City!

Yang Bufan was sitting on top with a resolute face. Below him sat more than a dozen powerful experts. Those of whom who could sit here were at least late Golden Immortals. Two among them had already reached the half-step of Immortal King realm. This group of experts had surpassed the whole One-Line-Sky. To put it bluntly, if Yang Bufan led these experts into One-Line-Sky, they would become the strongest power and make the other four existing major powers surrender.

However, to Yang Bufan, the battle with Evil Clan in the Evil Abyss was far more exciting and fulfilling than any conquest outside.

Tyrant and Big Yellow were also here too. Given their cultivation, they shouldn't be entitled to have a seat here, but due to their relationship with Jiang Chen, their status changed. Plus, Tyrant was an eminent monk of Buddha Sect. The Edifying Light that he had could ward off all devils. Therefore, this made the other experts not disdain him.

Furthermore, many of them thought that Tyrant was an eminent monk of White Dragon Temple—an important place for Buddha Sect in the Immortal World. Although it held itself aloof from the world, it still had a great fame and influence.

“City Lord, because Jiang Chen had killed a large number of demonic devils before, the Evil Clan was stirred. Many cities have already been entangled with the demonic devils. It seems like the higher ups of the Evil Clan are prepared to fight us again.”

A half-step Immortal King expert spoke. Although he had already reached a powerful level, he was still polite and courteous in front of Yang Bufan.

“Don’t be so anxious. It isn’t the first or second time that the Evil Clan has been stirred. That is why I’m here, to deter them.”

Yang Bufan’s face was full of indifference, totally not putting the Evil Clan in his eyes. He would still be fearless even if he had to wage a war against the Evil Clan now.

“City Lord. I think that the situation this time isn’t the same as before. Judging from how the Evil Clan reacted, it seems as if they want to go on an all out war with us. In their heads, the Evil Abyss is their territory and we, Humans, are just invaders. So it’s only a matter of time before a war breaks out between us,” someone said.

After hearing this, Yang Bufan knitted his brows. He wasn’t afraid of the Evil Clan, but in the absence of absolute certainty, he wouldn’t want to start a fight against the enemy.

“Kaka! Why are you all so worried for? When Jiang Chen returns, he will deal a heavy blow to the Evil Clan. I, Master Dog, can assure you that Jiang Chen has definitely gotten tremendous benefits this time and his cultivation has already improved by leaps and bounds.”

Big Yellow laughed loudly. With the haughtiness of his noble bloodline, he wouldn’t have to be courteous even in front of so many powerful experts.

“City Lord. After letting that Jiang Chen return to One-Line-Sky, I’m afraid that he won’t return again. After all, this isn’t a place that anyone could come and go to.”

“That’s right. It’s a little hasty that City Lord allowed Jiang Chen to return on the surface. In my opinion, there’s an eighty percent chance that Jiang Chen won’t come back.”

The two men spoke, thinking that Jiang Chen would never return. In fact, it’s not only them that thought this way. If Jiang Chen was an ordinary person, he would never come back to such a hell like place again.

Swoosh!

As soon as their words fell, Yang Bufan's gaze fell upon them like blades. A cold and chilling pressure settled over them, causing them to shiver. Immediately, they lowered their heads, not daring to look at Yang Bufan in the eye.

“Are you two questioning my judgment?”

Yang Bufan's tone was flat, but to the two men, it was terrifying.

Puff!

Both of them fell to their knees. “this Subordinate didn't dare. It's subordinate's fault. City Lord can punish subordinate for our rudeness.”

The two powerful late Golden Immortal experts were kneeling down, trembling, not daring to even lift their heads. Such a scene shocked Tyrant and Big Yellow, changing their views of Yang Bufan.

This was the power of deterrence, and inviolable dignity . In Evil Abyss, Yang Bufan was the true lord. No one would dare question him. These two experts realized how stupid they were to speak those words. Doubting the Evil Lord's will here was no different than seeking death. Although they were mighty late Golden Immortal experts, Yang Bufan would only need to lift his finger to kill them.

At this time, the void inside the hall tremble all of a sudden. Then, an invisible door was opened. A silhouette flashed out from inside and landed in the hall. He wore a white robe. If he wasn't Jiang Chen, then who could it be?

“Calm down Brother Yang. They were merely giving their two cents. It wasn't their intention to offend Brother Yang.”

After Jiang Chen appeared, he immediately clenched his fists at Yang Bufan. He had heard and saw what had happened while he was at the end of the tunnel.

Now that the situation in the Evil Abyss was critical, these two men could be of great help in battle. More importantly, saying good things about them would make them feel gratified in Jiang Chen, which would help Jiang Chen in establishing his position in Evil City.

“Get on your feet.”

Yang Bufan retracted his icy cold gaze and said plainly.

“Thank you City Lord.” “Thank you City Lord.”

Feeling the fading invisible pressure, they made a sigh of relief. Even though the pressure only lasted for a few seconds, it still felt like a few hundred years for them, as though they had circled hell once.

“Thank you Brother Jiang. We should not have questioned Brother Jiang’s character.”

The two of them clasped their fists at Jiang Chen and one of them spoke. They now had a very good impression of Jiang Chen, he had just saved their lives in time.

Moreover, they felt guilty about what they thought and said about Jiang Chen. It was like they slapped themselves when they said that Jiang Chen wouldn’t return and in the next moment, Jiang Chen appeared right before them.

“We are a family. There’s no need to be overly polite.” Jiang Chen smiled.

“Little Chen, you are back.”

Seeing Jiang Chen’s return, Tyrant and Big Yellow were incomparably delighted.

“En.”

Jiang Chen nodded, then looked over to Yang Bufan. At this time, Yang Bufan was studying him from top to bottom. So did the other experts in the hall. When they noticed the changes in Jiang Chen’s

Qi, they were astounded, including Yang Bufan.

“Brother Jiang is truly a rare genius. It has only been a few days, but Brother Jiang has already grown so much. If I’m not seeing this with my own eyes, I wouldn’t have believed it.”

Yang Bufan praised. He seldom praise someone, but Jiang Chen’s improvement really impressed him. Before Jiang Chen left, he was merely a late Heaven Immortal expert. In just a few days, Jiang Chen had actually reached the peak of the intermediate Divine Immortal realm. Such a huge leap rendered everyone speechless.

Chapter 1317 - Big Yellow's Troubled Mind

It's not only Yang Bufan who was astonished, but also the other experts in the hall after realizing that Jiang Chen was able to advance three levels in just a few days' time. Is he still even human? Even a formidable heaven defying genius still wouldn't be able to do so.

"This time, when I returned to One-Line-Sky, I happened to meet the opening of an ancient tomb. Inside, I have obtained tremendous benefits, which helped me drastically improve my cultivation. With my current strength, I won't have any problems killing an intermediate Golden Immortal opponent with my full-fledged attack." Jiang Chen said.

This wasn't just a boastful remark. One should know that he was now at the peak of intermediate Divine Immortal realm, which was incomparable to the intermediate Divine Immortal realm. His combat strength was so much stronger, making him capable enough to kill early Golden Immortal geniuses like Yun Canglan. As the combat strength of an early Golden Immortal genius was as strong as an ordinary intermediate Golden Immortal expert, claiming that he could kill any ordinary intermediate Golden Immortal opponent was no exaggeration.

As to what benefits he had gotten, he didn't say. The Immortal Execution Order in particular couldn't be mentioned as it would create more troubles.

"What?"

Everyone in the hall was shocked. Killing an intermediate Golden Immortal opponent while only being a peak intermediate Divine Immortal? Wasn't this a joke? They would never believe it if this didn't come out of Jiang Chen's mouth. Since it was said by Jiang Chen, they had reasons to believe it. After all, all of them were crystal clear about his performance in the Evil Abyss previously.

They knew that this man was a freak, an abnormal being. It had totally overturned their point of view.

“Haha! Good! I didn’t misread you after all. Brother Jiang has come back just at the right time. Due to the previous incident, the Evil Clan is preparing a large-scale attack. You are going to kick their asses again this time. As long as we join forces, we will only be days away from fully conquering the Evil Clan.”

Yang Bufan laughed delightfully. He was impressed by Jiang Chen, and he couldn’t help admiring this young genius. He called himself a rare genius, but compared to Jiang Chen, his talent was nothing. He surely couldn’t be compared to Jiang Chen if they have the same cultivation base.

Seeing the current Jiang Chen suddenly filled him with confidence in taking control of the Evil Clan. With his strength and Jiang Chen’s special devil-slaughtering means, it wouldn’t be long before this day came.

“The Evil Clan is becoming restless. That would be great. I was worried that I would have nothing to do as soon as I came back.”

Jiang Chen smiled. Now that he was back in Evil Abyss, his objective would be to wipe out the whole Evil Clan. His Ancestral Dragon Pagoda had already reached the twenty-fourth level. The demonic devils would become the pagoda’s nourishment. His pagoda had to condense thirty-three levels as soon as possible so that he could unlock a few secrets of the pagoda, thus bringing massive benefits to him.

“En, since Brother Jiang has just returned, rest first. We will talk about the matter of the Evil Clan later.” Yang Bufan said.

“All right.”

Jiang Chen clasped his fists at Yang Bufan, then led Big Yellow and Tyrant out of the hall. At this time, the higher ups of Evil City had a very good impression of Jiang Chen, even though they were

jealous of Jiang Chen before.

After all, everyone who was qualified to speak directly to the Evil Lord were all late Golden Immortal experts. All of them were powerful experts, except for Jiang Chen who was still a shrimp-like expert. But now, this small shrimp grew impressively fast. More importantly, just by how Jiang Chen stood up for the two had warmed their hearts.

Those two experts who doubted Yang Bufan's judgment in particular knew very well that if it wasn't for Jiang Chen's timely rescue, even if the two of them didn't die, they surely wouldn't be able to escape a severe punishment.

In an elegant courtyard in the Prefecture, the three brothers gathered together.

“Quickly tell me, what kind of f*cking luck do you have this time? What benefits have you gotten that allowed you to advance this much?”

Big Yellow couldn't wait anymore and asked as soon as they reached the courtyard. Tyrant also seemed incomparably interested. Jiang Chen's improvement was, after all, too great. If it wasn't because of some great benefits, he would never have such a big advancement.

“Big Yellow, have you heard of the Great Sovereign Zang Xian and the Immortal Execution King before?”

Jiang Chen's tone turned solemn all of a sudden. He hadn't forgotten the matter of Yan Chenyu yet.

After hearing these two names, an obvious tremble was happening in Big Yellow's body. His eyes shone with trembling light, but he masked it very quickly, not even Jiang Chen had detected it.

“I do know something about the Immortal World, but it isn't something related to Ethereal Immortal Domain. As for those two

Great Sovereigns, Great Sovereign Zang Xian and Immortal Execution King, they are almost known to everyone. Why do you suddenly ask about this?” Big Yellow asked curiously.

“An ancient tomb has been opened in One-Line-Sky and I have seen the Immortal Burying Coffin and Immortal Execution Order inside,” said Jiang Chen.

“What? The Immortal Burying Coffin is the Natal Magical Treasure of Great Sovereign Zang Xian. It’s a mighty Great Sovereign Weapon. How could it appear in the ancient tomb? And that Immortal Execution Order, why would it also appear in One-Line-Sky? Could it be that Great Sovereign Zang Xian has fallen? Even if Great Sovereign Zang Xian had already fallen, he wouldn’t leave his burial in an insignificant place like One-Line-Sky.” Big Yellow was astounded.

“Look.”

Jiang Chen turned his palm and the Immortal Execution Order emerged. Looking at the token, Big Yellow’s eyes turned even more complicated, it was like he was extremely familiar with this token.

“It sure is the Immortal Execution Order.” Big Yellow said flatly.

“Great Sovereign Zang Xian isn’t dead yet. Inside the Immortal Burying Coffin is a female corpse. She looked exactly like Xiao Yu. I don’t know if she’s the real Xiao Yu, but I’m sure that she must be related to Xiao Yu, because no one was able to get close to the Ice Coffin to get the Immortal Execution Order except for me. It must be Xiao Yu who helped me.”

Jiang Chen told them everything that happened in the ancient tomb. There was nothing that he should hide from these two sworn brothers of his.

“How could it be possible? Xiao Yu came from Saint Origin World and she should still be alive. How could she be lying in the Great Sovereign’s Weapon in the ancient tomb?”

Tyrant was shocked. In fact, anyone who heard this news would be shocked as well. At that time, Jiang Chen was just as shocked as his sworn brothers.

“Xiao Yu... how could this be related to Xiao Yu?”

Big Yellow knitted his brows tightly and murmured. His expression had become unusual.

Jiang Chen and Tyrant could discern that something wasn't right with Big Yellow. Jiang Chen in particular knew that Big Yellow must have some kind of secret, but Big Yellow refused to talk about it. Although this dog hadn't been to the Immortal World before, he had known many things in this world. It seemed as if the emergence of the Immortal Execution Order and the Immortal Burying Coffin had brought back some of Big Yellow's old memories.

Chapter 1318 - The Main Sword

Big Yellow was lost in contemplation. He had become unprecedentedly silent. He was always a cheerful and annoying individual. Jiang Chen thought that this should be related to the Immortal Execution Order.

“Xiao Yu has the Nine Yin Meridian and is the inheritor of Ice God. Could it be that it’s related to the female infant that year?”

Big Yellow murmured. It seemed as if he knew lots of things. All of a sudden, he turned incredibly mysterious.

“Big Yellow, I know that you are bearing some kind of secret in you. You’re not saying it because it isn’t the time yet, but Xiao Yu is involved in this matter, if you know something, I hope you can tell me.”

Jiang Chen came in front of Big Yellow and spoke in an incomparably grim tone. He had never asked Big Yellow about his secrets. Back when he first knew Big Yellow, Big Yellow had been showing his extraordinary abilities. Even after arriving in this world, it seemed like this dog had known a lot more than him, although Big Yellow seldom spoke about it.

Hearing this, Big Yellow turned to Jiang Chen and Tyrant. Similarly, his eyes turned unprecedentedly grim. Jiang Chen and Tyrant had never seen this look of Big Yellow before. Big Yellow’s eyes alone made them feel that he had become unfathomable all of a sudden.

“Little Chen, Tyrant, I will tell you all of my secrets sooner or later, now isn’t the right time yet. Knowing too much about something isn’t necessarily a good thing. As to why Xiao Yu emerged inside the Immortal Burying Coffin, I’m not too sure about it, but I can tell you that the Great Sovereign Zang Xian and Immortal Execution King were sworn to live and die together. So, it wasn’t surprising for the Immortal Burying Coffin and the

Immortal Execution Order to be together. I believe that no one in Immortal World will find it surprising either. As for Xiao Yu, I guess it might have something to do with the daughter of Immortal Execution King,” said Big Yellow.

“The daughter of Immortal Execution King?”

Jiang Chen and Tyrant exclaimed simultaneously. No matter how they racked their brains, they could never link Yan Chenyu to the daughter of Immortal Execution King.

“That’s right. The Immortal Execution King has a daughter who also has an icy cold physique, but I don’t know what happened to her. If the female corpse inside the Immortal Burying Coffin really looked the same as Xiao Yu, it’s most likely related to the daughter of Immortal Execution King.” Big Yellow said. He wasn’t supposed to tell Jiang Chen this, but since Yan Chenyu was involved, he had to.

“Was the daughter of Immortal Execution King looked exactly like Xiao Yu?” Jiang Chen asked. This was his biggest concern.

“I don’t know.”

Big Yellow shook his head. There were some things which he didn’t know how to say, but he really didn’t have an answer to Jiang Chen’s question. That year, when he saw the Immortal Execution King’s daughter, she was still a newborn infant. As for what happened later on, everything had changed. He had seen the female infant once and knew that she had an icy cold physique. As to whether she had the same appearance as Yan Chenyu or not when she grew up, he really didn’t have an idea.

“Little Chen, listen to me. Don’t think about this first for the time being. If Xiao Yu is really related to the daughter of Immortal Execution King, you shouldn’t be worried about her. Given the means of Immortal Execution King and Great Sovereign Zang Xian, Xiao Yu won’t be in any trouble. What you need to do now is to get stronger as quickly as possible. As long as you become on par with

those two great sovereigns, some of the secrets will be unlocked. Now, you just have to believe that Xiao Yu isn't in any danger." Big Yellow said.

He didn't want Jiang Chen to put so much focus on this. The Immortal World is vast and boundless. One-Line-Sky was only a miniature region and Jiang Chen's cultivation was still a long ways off. So, the two great sovereigns were totally out of Jiang Chen's league for now.

After hearing what Big Yellow said, Jiang Chen sighed, then nodded. He had a very determined heart, but he knew that Big Yellow was right. Whether it was Big Yellow's secret or Yan Chenyu's, it wasn't the right time for him to interfere yet, he was still too weak. The most important thing he needed to do now was to get stronger. Only by reaching that level could he get in touch with those powerful people.

"That's right, Little Chen. Big Yellow's right. We're still too weak to reach that sort of level. We'll treat Xiao Yu's secret as just a 'secret' first for now. As long as we could stand at the peak of this world one day, all secrets will naturally be opened." Tyrant patted Jiang Chen's shoulder.

"En."

Jiang Chen nodded, then kept the token. Rumor has it that anyone who obtains the Immortal Execution Order could use it to find and put forward a request to the Immortal King, but Jiang Chen was prepared to seal it up in the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda. To him, this token could be a lead to find Yan Chenyu some time in the future. He didn't need to beg for anyone's help in his path to growth.

Moreover, with his present cultivation, even if he used the Immortal Execution Order to find the Immortal Execution King, he was afraid that the Immortal Execution King would look down on him. This wasn't something that Jiang Chen wanted to see.

As for the secrets of Big Yellow, Jiang Chen and Tyrant were smart enough not to probe into it further. They already knew that this dog was very unusual. Perhaps he was the reincarnation of some powerful expert in the Immortal World, but this wasn't important to them. No matter what kind of secret or identity Big Yellow was hiding, it would never change the brotherhood among the three of them.

“Big Yellow, guess what treasure I found in the ancient tomb this time?”

Jiang Chen looked over at Big Yellow with a smile. Since the matter of Yan Chenyu couldn't be solved for the time being, Jiang Chen settled down. Plus, Big Yellow had mentioned that Yan Chenyu's existence was most likely related to the daughter of Immortal Execution King. What he needed to do right now was to return to his normal state of mind, continue to cultivate and advance his cultivation base.

“What treasure?”

Both Big Yellow's ears stood upright. His eyes glittered. The word 'treasure' was too attractive to him. Besides, this was coming from Jiang Chen's mouth. It had to be something great.

“Look.”

Jiang Chen said, turned his palm and the piece of broken sword drifted out. On top of the metal, the word 'Immortal Execution' was engraved. The Qi exuded from it was exactly the same as the three broken swords that Big Yellow had. Apparently, they were pieces of the same sword.

“This is the main sword!”

Big Yellow's eyes perked up excitedly.

“This broken sword should come from the same sword, like the three previous broken sword pieces. It's just like my Heavenly Saint Sword before.” Jiang Chen said.

“That’s right. This is the Immortal Execution Sword. It’s the magical treasure of Immortal Execution King and a Great Sovereign Weapon.”

Big Yellow said. His eyes glinted with light.

Chapter 1319 - Reforging the Immortal Execution Sword

When the word about the Great Sovereign Weapon came out of Big Yellow's mouth, Jiang Chen and Tyrant felt as if they were having some difficulty breathing, especially Jiang Chen, as he had seen the Immortal Burying Coffin before and knew the scariness of a Great Sovereign Weapon. Every Great Sovereign Weapon was as powerful as an Immortal Sovereign and is the pinnacle existence of the world.

“Unfortunately for the items of the Immortal Execution King, even if we have collected all of the broken swords, we won't be able to restore the original state of the Immortal Execution Sword.”

Jiang Chen shook his head in disappointment.

“*Jie* *Jie*, if I was someone else, even someone as great as an Immortal Emperor or even an Immortal Venerable, he wouldn't be able to reforge the Immortal Execution Sword, but I, Master Dog, surely can.” Big Yellow laughed triumphantly.

Upon hearing what Big Yellow said, both Jiang Chen and Tyrant were stunned, totally changing their view of Big Yellow and strengthening their belief in his extraordinary abilities. It was truly inconceivable that Big Yellow could reforge the Great Sovereign Weapon. If it was someone else who made such declaration, both of them would only treat it as typical boasting.

When these words came out of Big Yellow's mouth, it suddenly became totally different. They had already known Big Yellow for far too long. This dog's divinity was beyond ordinary people's imagination.

“You all don't have to be so shocked. I, Master Dog, can surely reforge the Immortal Execution Sword, however, due to this sword

being broken for too long, it has already lost majority of its essence. It wouldn't be a mighty Great Sovereign Weapon anymore, it can only be an Emperor Weapon even after it is reforged. It will take some time for it to truly become a Great Sovereign Weapon." Big Yellow said.

"Emperor Weapon?"

Both Jiang Chen and Tyrant rolled their eyes. What was called an Emperor Weapon? In the Immortal World, an Emperor Weapon was an invaluable weapon that only Immortal Emperors were entitled to possess. Comparing Jiang Chen's Heavenly Dragon Combat Halberd to an Emperor Weapon made the halberd a useless trash.

Speaking of the Heavenly Dragon Combat Halberd, given Jiang Chen's present strength, he could already cast the Third Level of the First Style of Heavenly Dragon Nine Strikes. Additionally, he wouldn't experience a weakened state even after casting the skill as he was now strong enough. Under his full strength, he could kill any ordinary intermediate Golden Immortal expert. So at this point, he could already try casting the Second Style of the Heavenly Dragon Nine Strikes.

Jiang Chen handed the main sword to Big Yellow. He had already known it for a long time that only Big Yellow could exert the power of the sword. Back in the ancient tomb, he had fought Diao Yong hard just to get this broken sword for Big Yellow.

Big Yellow seemed somewhat excited while receiving the fragment of the main sword. A sense of familiarity washed over him.

Later on, he opened his mouth. The three broken swords which he had kept drifted out. Feeling the existence of the main sword, the three fragments of the sword trembled all of a sudden and produced strident howls. This was the first time that these three broken swords reacted so aggressively. Back when they first

discovered them, they were merely pieces of scrap iron. Who would have thought that they would be associated to a Great Sovereign Weapon?

It was extremely hard to reforge all of the broken pieces of a Great Sovereign Weapon and not everyone could do it. In addition, due to Big Yellow not being the sword's original master, reforging these sword pieces wouldn't be as easy as Jiang Chen reforging his Heavenly Saint Sword's fragments.

The next scene amazed both of them once more. The four fragments converged in the air, dancing back and forth in front of Big Yellow, seemingly incredibly delighted. It seemed as if Big Yellow's Qi didn't bother them at all.

The first step to reforge these fragments was to melt them and form a new combat weapon, but with Big Yellow present strength, it was undoubtedly impossible for him to craft a Great Sovereign Weapon, not even a powerful Immortal Emperor would be able to do so.

But judging on Big Yellow's looks, he seemed to have another way of dealing with it.

He opened his mouth wide and spat out a big mouthful of fresh blood. That was blood essence, the blood essence of a Divine Beast which was incomparable to any ordinary blood. His spirit began to languish a little after spitting out a huge amount of blood. Anyone that spat out as much blood as Big Yellow did would feel the same way or even pass out on the spot.

His blood essence fell on the broken swords. Suddenly, the four fragments became agitated. 'Chi-Chi' sound was heard from the surface of the swords. Every one of them was absorbing the blood essence joyfully, as if they were getting some kind of rejuvenating juice.

The preciousness of the blood essence of a Dragon-Horse Divine Beast was beyond ordinary. After absorbing the blood essence, the

four fragments began to combine. Blood-red Qi waves rolled on top of each fragments' surface, forming a big blood-red cocoon.

Buzz... *Buzz...*

A strong buzzing sound came out of the cocoon and gave rise to a powerful ancient power. Under this power, Jiang Chen and Tyrant's face changed. It wasn't the power that shocked them, but the pressure that was radiated from it. It was the pressure of a Great Sovereign, and not everyone could bear it.

"What kind of secret existed in Big Yellow's body? His blood essence could actually reforge the Immortal Execution Sword. I wouldn't have believed this if I didn't see this with my own eyes."

Tyrant was astounded, mystified by the secrets inside Big Yellow.

"Do you feel that there's a Qi of origin similar to Big Yellow's inside the Immortal Execution Sword? Although it isn't very strong, but it is still there. This type of Qi is just like my Qi and the Heavenly Saint Sword's. Which means that Big Yellow has gotten the recognition of the Immortal Execution Sword. Plus, Big Yellow knew how to restore it."

Jiang Chen's eyes lit up. With his careful observation, he was almost sure that there was a relation between Big Yellow and the Immortal Execution Sword, but he still didn't have a clue about what it was. As long as Big Yellow didn't tell them his secrets, they would never know about it.

"Could it be that Big Yellow is the reincarnation of the Immortal Execution King?"

Tyrant's eyes became stern when he spoke out these words, he was afraid.

"That's impossible. Although Big Yellow and the sword have a similar Qi of origin, it doesn't mean that it's his Natal Weapon. Besides, the Immortal Execution King isn't someone that will fall so easily. Big Yellow will never be the reincarnation of the

Immortal Execution King, however, I guess this bastard is probably related to the Immortal Execution King. His secrets are even unimaginable to me. Our level is after all too low. When we reach that kind of level, I believe Big Yellow will tell us his secrets.” Jiang Chen said.

Chapter 1320 - Progressing By Leaps and Bounds

Big Yellow's incredible action helped Jiang Chen confirm that there must be some relationship between Big Yellow and the Immortal Execution King, otherwise, there was nothing else that could be used to explain the current situation. The Immortal Execution Sword was the Natal Weapon of Immortal Execution King, but now, it seemed like the sword belonged to Big Yellow.

Back when Jiang Chen got one of the pieces, he wasn't able to exert even an ounce of power from it, as such he almost wanted to throw it away as a scrap metal. Big Yellow on the other hand, had no problem stirring the power inside the sword and through using it, Big Yellow had even saved Jiang Chen's life.

At that time, Jiang Chen wasn't sure why Big Yellow was able to exert the power of the broken sword. He could only make a simple guess that it was because of Big Yellow's bloodline. Now, he finally understood a little more, but because of this, his interest in Big Yellow's secret was piqued.

Big Yellow's expression had turned incomparably grim. His hands kept on casting mysterious dharma seals that not even Jiang Chen could understand. As Big Yellow had already mastered the Formation Holy Book, it was only logical that he could cast these various ancient seals.

Reforging the Immortal Execution Sword was already a very remarkable act by itself. If anyone from the outside knew what Big Yellow was doing, the person would definitely be petrified whilst gaping at the scene. Once the new Immortal Execution Sword was born, Jiang Chen was afraid that it would stir up another wave of gossips even though it was only an Emperor Weapon.

Likewise, reforging the Immortal Execution Sword was an extremely difficult and tiring process. As the Immortal Execution

Sword's pieces were integrating, more and more energy was drained from Big Yellow. His body began to show signs of shivering.

“Big Yellow seems to be losing his strength fast. Do we have to help him?”

Tyrant asked with concern.

“We don't have to. Since Big Yellow has already chosen to act, it shows that he's certain in what he's doing. We don't have to worry about it. Besides, if we lend him a hand, the external force will most likely lead to a backlash from the Immortal Execution Sword. If that happens, Big Yellow would be rejected by the sword and receive serious harm.”

Jiang Chen shook his head. The reason that the Immortal Execution Sword could be reforged was because Big Yellow had gotten the sword's recognition. Once Jiang Chen and Tyrant joined the process, it would cause the sword to repel them and even Big Yellow. The result would be hard to imagine. Big Yellow might be seriously injured because of the severe backlash.

After hearing what Jiang Chen said, Tyrant couldn't help but sigh. Fortunately, he didn't act rashly, otherwise it would ruin the whole thing.

The whole reforging process lasted exactly half an hour. At this time, Big Yellow was already lying on the ground, exhausted, but he was still persevering. The blood-red cocoon outside the Immortal Execution Sword had vanished completely. All the blood spat out by Big Yellow was completely absorbed by the sword.

Howl!

All of a sudden, the sword produced a sharp sound while emitting a wave of powerful energy. A crystal clear long sword was drifting back and forth in the sky. With the ancient imprint on the sword, with just a single glance anyone could tell that it was not a piece of

scrap metal anymore.

“What a powerful sword Qi! It sure is an Emperor Weapon.”

Tyrant couldn't help but be astonished. Jiang Chen's eyes were staring at the Immortal Execution Sword, feeling enchanted by its divinity. However, both of them understood that even if they had the sword, they wouldn't be able to exert any of its power. The sword was, after all, a Great Sovereign Weapon, it had its own spirit. It would never allow anyone that it didn't recognize to wield it.

The sword was magnificent, especially the two ancient words 'Immortal Execution' engraved on it. It fully demonstrated the value of the sword.

After rebuilding the sword, Big Yellow was now lying on the ground, immobile. Both of his sworn brothers hastily moved forward to prop him up.

“Don't come over here. Master Dog's encounter has just arrived.” Big Yellow spoke hurriedly.

After hearing this, Jiang Chen and Tyrant stopped in their tracks and retreated a few steps.

At this point, the Immortal Execution Sword automatically flew towards the top of Big Yellow's head. Rays of bright light radiated downwards, like drizzles falling into Big Yellow's body.

After being revitalized by the light, his body shook violently and the Qi in his body began to climb, quickly recovering him from his previous withered state.

“What was that?” Tyrant was dumbfounded.

“I know. That's the essence in the Immortal Execution Sword. After obtaining Big Yellow's blood essence, it has fully recognized Big Yellow, it then exuded the hidden essence inside it. Damn! This sure is a great encounter. This essence is too precious. Plus, they are connected to Big Yellow's origin. After absorbing this essence,

his cultivation will definitely improve drastically. I have no idea what kind of scary stage he can advance to.”

Jiang Chen marveled. He could deeply feel the unusual encounter – the essence of the sword entering into Big Yellow’s body. Anyone who stood here watching would be filled with envy.

“For God’s Sake, this dog is truly amazing. I have a feeling that this bastard was a powerful existence in this world before and was reincarnated to Saint Origin World. Now that he’s back here and has gotten the recognition of the Immortal Execution Sword, his future progress will be smooth-sailing.” Tyrant said.

No matter what kind of identity Big Yellow has, or what kind of secrets he was hiding, as brothers of Big Yellow, they couldn’t help feeling happy for him to have such a fortunate encounter.

Jiang Chen and Tyrant’s expression turned incomparably tensed. Their eyes were staring at Big Yellow unblinkingly.

Swoosh... *Swoosh...* *Swoosh...*

As the light shone from the sword entered Big Yellow’s body, his Qi was also getting stronger and stronger. He had yet to advance, but his brothers already understood that his advancement would only be a matter of time. Presently, Big Yellow was just refining the essence. Once it exploded inside of him, the extent of his advancement would be immeasurable.

After an hour, the Immortal Execution Sword stopped. At this time, Big Yellow had already finished refining all the essence. His Qi began to climb continuously along with his cultivation base. The huge Qi waves forced Jiang Chen and Tyrant to take a few steps back again.

Big Yellow’s Qi had returned to its peak state. He intended to break through to the half-step Golden Immortal realm after this, but there were more tidal-like energy in his body that kept on boosting his energy.

“He has already reached the half-step Golden Immortal realm. At what level do you think will he stop?” Tyrant gulped.

“Judging from this, I’m afraid that he will at least advance to the peak of early Golden Immortal realm or even to the intermediate Golden Immortal realm.”

Jiang Chen was incomparably excited. Big Yellow’s great encounter had pushed his cultivation to another terrifying level.

Chapter 1321 - The peak of early Golden Immortal realm

Big Yellow's cultivation could already be described as incredible. At this rate of advancement, it wouldn't be impossible for him to break through to the intermediate Golden Immortal realm. Although Jiang Chen and Tyrant felt astonished inside, they knew that this was just normal for Big Yellow.

After all, Big Yellow had a different identity. Big Yellow knew plenty of ancient secret arts. His body possessed the Dragon-Horse bloodline. Plus, he had received the nourishment of the Immortal Execution Sword. The nourishment was the essence of the Great Sovereign Weapon. Such essence was an unparalleled treasure that was incomparable to any ordinary treasure.

In other words, although Big Yellow hadn't gone along with Jiang Chen into the ancient tomb, he was the one who got the most benefits.

There were no treasures that could be compared to the Immortal Execution Sword nor the essence inside the sword.

Ka!

Finally, a crisp sound was heard. Streams of indistinct Qi began to emerge on Big Yellow's body. That was the true Qi of Great Luo. At this time, Big Yellow broke through to the true Golden Immortal realm.

The momentum of his Qi was still rising after arriving at the early Golden Immortal realm. The essence in the Immortal Execution Sword was just too powerful. Under the rush of this essence, Big Yellow's Qi continued to climb.

Very quickly, Big Yellow's Qi reached the peak of early Golden Immortal realm and would soon break through to the intermediate Golden Immortal mark. If someone else were to see such a scary

advancement speed, he would surely be so shocked that his soul would part from his body. The Golden Immortal realm was a level where one comprehended the Profound Meaning of Great Luo. It was a level that countless of cultivators dreamed of. Innumerable people had stopped in the half-step Golden Immortal realm and couldn't take any further step, however, not only was Big Yellow able to jump through it, but his Qi is still rising and was about to advance to the next level. This was just too annoying!

“It isn't a good thing for Big Yellow to advance so much.” Tyrant frowned and said with concern.

“That's right. The essence in the Immortal Execution Sword is too aggressive. Based on the momentum of the essence, it won't have any problem pushing Big Yellow's cultivation to the Immortal King realm, however, Big Yellow's current body won't be able to bear the surge of the essence. His physique won't be able to bear the level of Immortal King. He has to stop at once, or else, his foundation will be destroyed, and would put him in an extremely unfavorable condition in his future cultivation.”

Jiang Chen nodded, agreeing with what Tyrant said. Demonic beasts were the same as humans. Cultivation wasn't the only thing to consider in advancing. The physique of the cultivator also played a crucial role. Once the physique was ruined, everything would be in vain. Although Big Yellow's present physique was strong, it obviously wasn't strong enough to withstand the Immortal King realm. Therefore, if he continued to advance recklessly, although he would obtain tremendous power and cultivation temporarily, it wouldn't be good to his future cultivation. It might cause him to stop at the Immortal King realm for the rest of his life.

These circumstances happened in the world before and there were many of them who had fallen victim to it. Plenty of experts took large amounts of advancement pills thinking that they could obtain tremendous powers and advance within a short period of

time, however, such act destroyed their entire cultivation.

This was also why Jiang Chen couldn't keep on advancing even though he was cultivating the dragon transformation skill. Advancing rapidly would cause problems in his foundation.

“Big Yellow, stop advancing further!”

Upon seeing that Big Yellow was losing himself, Jiang Chen shouted loudly, trying to wake Big Yellow from his trance.

Big Yellow's body trembled when he heard Jiang Chen's shout and quickly regained his senses. At this point, his cultivation base was almost about to break through to the Intermediate Golden Immortal realm, however, Big Yellow roared and willed the advancement to a halt.

His forehead was beaded with sweat. The remaining essence in his body was compressed. He lifted his head to look at Jiang Chen, his eyes full of gratitude. “Motherf*cker! I almost made a mistake that would surely cause me a lifelong of regret. I had never thought that I, Master Dog, will lose control of myself. Little Chen, if you didn't wake me up from my trance, everything should've been over.”

Jiang Chen moved forward and patted Big Yellow's head. “Don't be too greedy in advancing next time. You have already gotten a great deal of benefits this time. Plus, the essence from the Immortal Execution Sword is still in your body. You can refine them slowly in the future. This essence should be enough for you to break through to the Immortal King realm. Besides, with your current strength, you already have no problem killing any intermediate Golden Immortal opponent. I'm afraid that not even those ordinary late Golden Immortal experts is a match for you.”

Seeing Big Yellow's huge improvement, Jiang Chen was naturally overjoyed. All along, Big Yellow had been his greatest assistant. Now that Big Yellow had advanced to a terrifying extent, he would be able to help Jiang Chen even more.

Both Jiang Chen and Big Yellow had made progress in their cultivation. This increased Jiang Chen's self-confidence and shorten the gap between him and Tian Muyun, which meant that it wouldn't be long before the two of them engaged in a life-and-death battle.

"You are right. With Master Dog's present cultivation, no ordinary late Golden Immortal opponent is my match. I can even kill anyone below half-step Immortal King realm easily."

Big Yellow sounded complacent. He opened his mouth wide and swallowed the Immortal Execution Sword into his belly. "*Jie* *Jie*... If I go full-force with the Immortal Execution Sword, I'm afraid that even a half-step Immortal King will have to die."

"The Immortal Execution Sword is now a formidable Emperor Weapon, however, such a treasure shouldn't be used casually. Even if you can control the sword and exert some of its power, the price of wielding it is certainly big. It can easily lead to a fatal disaster the moment the Emperor Weapon is exposed." Jiang Chen said.

As the saying goes, a common man's only crime is to carry a jade. An Emperor Weapon was extremely precious. Once it was revealed to the public, it would inevitably arouse the greed in people. Jiang Chen was almost certain about this.

"What the hell! You two abnormal bastards! Both of your cultivation have already exceeded mine in next to no time. How sad!"

Watching his two abnormal brothers, Tyrant couldn't help sighing. Since he practiced the Bright Buddha Body, his cultivation had already reached the late Divine Immortal realm, but in just a few days of time, both of his sworn brothers had surpassed his level. It was impossible for him not to feel depressed right now.

"Right, Tyrant, I have a treasure for you."

Upon hearing Tyrant's complaint, Jiang Chen suddenly thought of something. He hastily turned his palm, and a piece of lotus leaf appeared in his hand. Back when he and Tyrant met, he was only focused on eliminating the demonic devils. He hadn't recalled this matter even after coming to Evil City. If Tyrant refined this piece of lotus leaf, it would be very easy for him to advance to the half-step Golden Immortal realm.

Chapter 1322 - Besieging Skycloud Pavilion

“This is?”

Tyrant’s gaze fell upon the lotus leaf. Although he didn’t know what kind of treasure this leaf was, just from the Qi exuded from this piece of leaf, he was sure that this was no ordinary leaf. Besides, since this was kept by Jiang Chen, it had to be something good.

“This is the leaf of the Regenerative Lotus. Back when Ah Yan had lost his arm, we risked our lives to get the Regenerative Lotus, and the heart of the lotus was given to Ah Yan to refine, helping him to regrow his arm again. Now, there aren’t many leaves left. After refining this leaf, your cultivation should be able to reach the half-step Golden Immortal realm. With a half-step Golden Immortal cultivation base and Edifying Light, you could already move across the Evil Abyss unhindered.”

Jiang Chen said, handing the lotus leaf to Tyrant.

“Well, I won’t be polite then.”

Tyrant nodded, then took the lotus leaf. There was no need for him to be polite to his brothers. Immediately, he returned to his room and started refining the leaf. He understood that he could only be useful to Jiang Chen or at least wouldn’t be a liability to Jiang Chen by improving his cultivation.

In the following time, Jiang Chen also went into seclusion. He had gotten quite a lot of benefits in his trip to the ancient tomb, and he needed to digest them properly. As for everything that was happening inside Evil Abyss, he would put it aside first for the time being. Despite of the chaos happening in the Evil Clan, he was sure that Yang Bufan would be able to deal with it. After all, a full-scale war wouldn’t happen in a short period of time.

Three days passed in a flash. Jiang Chen, Big Yellow and Tyrant

didn't even leave their courtyard in these past three days. It could be described as peaceful and serene, however, the situation outside was the complete opposite. Due to Jiang Chen having killed too many demonic devils last time, the higher ups of the Evil Clan were alarmed. So this time, they were going to launch a bloody attack for revenge. In these past three days, countless of demonic devils had appeared in numerous cities. The Evil Abyss had become more turbulent that would only get worse as time passed.

Apart from the upheaval in Evil Abyss, One-Line-Sky was also not in a peaceful condition. The experts of the three major powers—Profound Sun Sect, Huangfu and Yun Family—were everywhere in One-Line-Sky, seemingly determined to find Jiang Chen even if that meant digging three feet below the ground.

Despite all their efforts, it appeared that Jiang Chen was already gone, like water that evaporated from the surface of the land. There was no clue of him, not even a trace of his Qi.

In these past three days, these major powers had searched the whole One-Line-Sky, but still couldn't find a trace of Jiang Chen. Eventually, they shifted their focus to Skycloud Pavilion.

The outside of Skycloud Pavilion was encircled by the Golden Immortal experts of the three major powers. For the first time, these three major powers had actually joined forces.

“We have already searched the entire One-Line-Sky in these past three days, but found not even a single clue about that monster. The only explanation for that is that he is hiding in Skycloud Pavilion,” the Sect Master of Profound Sun Sect, Dugu Sheng, spoke.

“That's right. It seems like we were all deceived by Tian Muyun from the very beginning. I'm now certain that Tian Muyun didn't really send Jiang Chen to Evil Abyss. He was only buying time for Jiang Chen from the very beginning.” Huangfu Yaotian remarked coldly.

“Today, if Tian Muiyun doesn’t hand over Jiang Chen to us, we won’t let this matter rest.”

Yun Zhonghe had a murderous look on his face. The experts of the three major powers were sure of one thing – anything related to Jiang Chen was caused by Tian Muiyun. This was the most reasonable and only explanation they have.

However, this was only their point of view. They totally had no idea how aggrieved Tian Muiyun was right now from being blamed for something he hadn’t done. Although Jiang Chen was a disciple of Skycloud Pavilion, he didn’t have any good feeling about this disciple.

“Tian Muiyun, don’t you pretend anymore. Get out quick.”

Dugu Sheng clamored in front of the mountain gate. The shout was full of momentum. Its sound waves rippled out in layers, echoing back and forth above the mountain range. Numerous disciples of Skycloud Pavilion couldn’t handle the large din, and their faces turned pale.

Swoosh... *Swoosh...* *Swoosh...*

One after another, silhouettes of powerful experts rushed out from the pavilion. They were all Golden Immortal realm experts, the true higher ups of Skycloud Pavilion, but their leader wasn’t Tian Muiyun. He was Daoist Yufeng.

He looked like a real sage, giving people the feeling of kindness, however, he was frowning right now. At this moment, Tian Muiyun was in seclusion, advancing to the Immortal King realm. So, all matters of the pavilion would fall on his shoulder. It was unprecedented that all the experts from the three major powers were here including the other six of One-Line Eight Immortals.

“Why has everyone come to my pavilion with such momentum?”

Daoist Yufeng said composedly. Despite him being under extreme pressure, he didn’t show any sign of being flustered. This was the

demeanor of a half-step Immortal King that ordinary experts hoped to have.

“Daoist Yufeng, call Tian Muyun out here now.” Yun Zhonghe cried out.

“Yes. Tian Muyun has fooled us. He must provide a proper explanation for us.” Dugu Sheng chided.

“This old daoist doesn’t know what you all are talking about.”

Daoist Yufeng said with a frown, however, he knew pretty well the intention of these experts.

“Yufeng, stop pretending. Hand Jiang Chen over now and our score with Tian Muyun will be settled.” Huangfu Yaotian shouted.

Tianji Zi stood behind Daoist Yufeng, seemingly very pleased with himself. He silently muttered: “That kid is truly amazing. Even with the experts of the three major powers joining forces, none of them were able to find him.”

He was incomparably proud of his disciple, however, he didn’t seem to care about how serious the trouble his disciple had gotten into. He couldn’t help but admit that Jiang Chen was a bada*s for doing all of these stuff.

“Jiang Chen isn’t in Skycloud Pavilion. Weren’t you all looking for him? We are also searching for him, but unfortunately, he has never shown up.”

Daoist Yufeng said. What he said was the truth. Jiang Chen was really not in Skycloud Pavilion. If Jiang Chen was here, given his status, he should’ve known it by now. He hadn’t paid much attention to this disciple before. Now, he was forced to look for him because this newly recruited genius was about to cause a huge chaos in One-Line-Sky.

Now that the three major powers were here demanding to see Jiang Chen, even if Daoist Yufeng had three heads and six arms, he wouldn’t be able to make Jiang Chen appear out of thin air.

Chapter 1323 - Tian Muyun's Grievance

The experts of the three major powers sniffed at Daoist Yufeng's words. Apparently, they had already anticipated that he would respond in such a way. This was just a verbal claim made by Skycloud Pavilion alone. They had already concluded that Jiang Chen was inside Skycloud Pavilion.

“Daoist Yufeng, don't ever talk nonsense here. If you don't hand over Jiang Chen today, we won't leave. You and Tian Muyun better think about this twice. Is it worth going against us just for an insignificant brat? I believe that's not what you all want.”

Huangfu Yaotian spoke in a threatening tone. They had come here with the resoluteness to kill Jiang Chen. They would never give up if they never saw Jiang Chen.

The incidents in the ancient tomb made them understand one thing very well. That was the harmfulness of Jiang Chen. He was a monstrous being and his speed of growth was far beyond their imagination. They absolutely couldn't let him continue to grow. Otherwise, he would surely become a major threat to the them.

“Elder Daoist, if we arouse the anger of the three major powers because of one puny Jiang Chen, it won't be favorable to our pavilion.”

Next to Daoist Yufeng, Yang Shu spoke. All this while, he had also been looking for Jiang Chen, but found no trace of him. By now, even he was starting to doubt Tian Muyun's decision. He currently had the same thoughts as the three major powers – Jiang Chen wasn't sent into the Evil Abyss, but was hidden in Skycloud Pavilion. Although he had no idea where Jiang Chen had been hiding, he believed that Daoist Yufeng should know about it.

“Yang Shu, what do you mean?”

Daoist Yufeng frowned. He was an upright person whereas Yang

Shu was a scheming individual. This made him like Yang Shu lesser. Amongst the Senior Elders in Skycloud Pavilion, he had a much better impression of Tianji Zi.

“Humph! Elder Yang implies that Jiang Chen is now hiding secretly in Skycloud Pavilion and demands us to hand him over in exchange for Skycloud Pavilion’s peace. Your guts are growing larger and larger Yang Shu, daring to doubt even the Pavilion Master and Elder Daoist. Being the master of Jiang Chen, I don’t even know where he is, and besides, I was there when Pavilion Master sent Jiang Chen into the Evil Abyss. There’s no mistake about it.”

Tianji Zi harrumphed coldly. He never got along with Yang Shu. So would naturally he voice out his opinion at this point.

“Sect Masters, I understand your mood very well, but I assure you with my character that Jiang Chen isn’t in Skycloud Pavilion.”

Daoist Yufeng said impatiently. During normal days, he wouldn’t stand here explaining to them given his high pride, but now that the three major powers had joined together, he had no choice but to endure.

“Big Brother, Daoist Yufeng does have a pleasant character. Could it be that Jiang Chen really isn’t in Skycloud Pavilion?”

The Grand Elder of Yun Family, Yun Zhonglong, said softly. Although there had been constant fights among the Eight Immortals, several of them admired Daoist Yufeng’s manners very much. Despite being Daoist Yufeng’s enemies, they still couldn’t deny Daoist Yufeng’s upright character. Now that Daoist Yufeng was using his character as assurance, it made all of them ponder over their decision once more.

“Even if Daoist Yufeng can be trusted, it doesn’t apply to Tian Muyun. If Tian Muyun wants to hide Jiang Chen, I’m afraid that not even Daoist Yufeng will know about it.” Huangfu Qun said.

“Daoist Yufeng, since you are assuring the matter with your character, let me ask you this – have you ever seen Tian Muyun send Jiang Chen into the Evil Abyss with your own eyes?” Huangfu Yaotian asked.

Hearing this, Daoist Yufeng couldn’t help but frown. During that time, he wasn’t present on the scene.

“No, I didn’t, but Tianji Zi witnessed it. You all should believe what he said,” replied Daoist Yufeng.

“If it was before, we’ll naturally believe it, but now, Tianji Zi’s identity has changed. He’s the master of Jiang Chen. How can we possibly believe him? So, I think it’s better to let Tian Muyun explain this himself.” Dugu Sheng said loudly.

As a matter of fact, the experts of the three major powers were starting to worry. They hadn’t found Jiang Chen even after searching for three days. If Jiang Chen wasn’t in Skycloud Pavilion, it only indicated that Jiang Chen hid himself too well and that made him even scarier. Furthermore, Jiang Chen’s speed of growth was too rapid, stirring fear inside of them, the fear for their future. They were almost sure that if Jiang Chen grew to a certain extent, what awaited them would only be destruction, and this wouldn’t be very long.

Just as Dugu Sheng’s voice faded, an incredible Qi suddenly rose from the center of Skycloud Pavilion. The momentum was tremendous. It immediately drew the attention of everyone. Next, a silhouette flashed out. He was young and handsome. His complexion was as clear as jade. Across the whole One-Line-Sky, there was only Tian Muyun who have such a powerful Qi and cultivation at such a young age.

Tian Muyun emerged. His speed was extremely fast. He arrived outside the mountain gate in a flash. Dugu Sheng and the other experts couldn’t help frowning when they saw the current Tian Muyun. Even though he was still a half-step Immortal King expert,

they were able to detect that Tian Muyun was a lot stronger compared to three days ago. Even though it wasn't a huge improvement, he was indeed more powerful now.

“This bastard has gotten stronger again.”

The great experts were murmuring in their hearts. Tian Muyun's existence was already a threat to them. Now that Tian Muyun had gotten stronger than before, it gave them a trace of uneasiness. Adding Jiang Chen into the picture, it was only a matter of time before the whole One-Line-Sky became Skycloud Pavilion's.

Now, the only thing that comforted them was that Jiang Chen was still weak and Tian Muyun had yet to reach the true Immortal King realm. Breaking through to the Immortal King realm wasn't easy after all. All of these old masters had stopped at the half-step Immortal King realm for quite some time. They knew pretty well how difficult it was to cross this bottleneck.

“Everyone, Jiang Chen is truly not in Skycloud Pavilion.”

Tian Muyun spoke. He wasn't a fool. He knew why they were here. His face didn't look very well, but only he knew how he was feeling right now, he was feeling too aggrieved and had the urge to cough up blood.

“Haha! Tian Muyun, do you still want to lie to us? Are all of these a scheme of yours? If you don't hand over Jiang Chen to us today, we won't let this matter rest!” Dugu Sheng laughed.

Chapter 1324 - Tianji Zi's Crisis

“Humph! Dugu Sheng, believe it or not, I’m also looking for Jiang Chen and was going to expel him.”

Tian Muyun’s tone was resonant. This remark instantly caused a great uproar, especially among the higher ups of Skycloud Pavilion. None of them expected that Tian Muyun would make such a decision. Even the experts of the three major powers were stunned. As the Patriarch of Skycloud Pavilion, he should greatly treasure a genius like Jiang Chen instead of expelling him from the sect.

“Can I know why Pavilion Master wants to expel Jiang Chen?”

Tianji Zi asked with a frown. He was a forthright person. If there was anything that he wasn’t satisfied of, he would say it on the spot. Even when it was Ouyang He back then, he wouldn’t hesitate to voice out his opinion.

He was certain that Jiang Chen didn’t commit any irreconcilable mistake. Sending Jiang Chen into Evil Abyss was already the greatest punishment Tian Muyun had sentenced Jiang Chen. How could Jiang Chen’s master ever accept it when his beloved disciple was being expelled out of the sect?

“Back then, I sent him to Evil Abyss for him to experience a tough-training. Instead, he came back from Evil Abyss and stirred up troubles. In spite of what he created, he didn’t return to Skycloud Pavilion. This indicates that he was not only putting you, his master, in his eyes, but also me, the Pavilion Master. Keeping such a disrespectful person alive will only intensify the problem. Therefore, I have decided that Jiang Chen should be expelled from Skycloud Pavilion. From today onwards, Skycloud Pavilion has nothing to do with Jiang Chen anymore.” Tian Muyun shouted.

He only had two reasons for doing so. First was to draw a line between Jiang Chen and Skycloud Pavilion, and to temporarily

alleviate the pressure given by the three major powers to Skycloud Pavilion. After all, what Tian Muyun lacked the most was time. As long as he was given sufficient time, he would have no problem advancing to the Immortal King realm.

The second reason was that Tian Muyun really hated Jiang Chen from the bottom of his heart.

Even though some were able to figure out the first reason, they wouldn't be able to guess the second reason.

Wah...

As soon as Tian Muyun's words faded, it caused a commotion. The experts in Skycloud Pavilion became restless, especially the core and inner sect disciples who had a good impression of Jiang Chen imprinted in their heads. Those who had been saved by Jiang Chen were very grateful to him. So, what their Pavilion Master decided tilted their acceptance. In any case, Jiang Chen had helped Skycloud Pavilion earn prestige during the trip to the ancient tomb.

“Why did it become like this? Why did Pavilion Master expel Brother Jiang? Brother Jiang doesn't seem to have done anything wrong. Pavilion Master has already sent him to the Evil Abyss. Brother Jiang relied on his own capability to walk out of Evil Abyss alive. The reason Brother Jiang isn't here is because he doesn't want to bring any more trouble to the pavilion. I had never thought that Brother Jiang's bitter efforts would be exchanged for such an outcome.”

“Haven't you all seen it through? Pavilion Master is afraid. He's afraid that the three major powers will attack us. So, he had to draw a line between Skycloud Pavilion and Jiang Chen, however, such an act is really demoralizing. Jiang Chen is after all a first-class genius in One-Line-Sky. Such an act is equivalent to admitting defeat and lowering the Pavilion's own status.”

“Being expelled from the Pavilion. That's too disheartening.

Brother Jiang hasn't done anything wrong and he should be defended by Pavilion Master instead. I had never expected that Pavilion Master would make such a decision. He is scared of the three major powers, but we aren't. If this incident spread, this will only show that our Pavilion is lowering its head to the three major powers. From then on, we won't be able to raise our heads anymore."

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Tian Muyun's decision had undoubtedly caused every disciple to look sullen. Their discontentment didn't just come from the compromise. Jiang Chen had already established a root in their hearts and had left a great impression. To them, Jiang Chen was their pride instead of Tian Muyun. Jiang Chen was their idol, the person whom they really respected. Now that their idol was being treated in such an unfair way, they naturally wouldn't be comfortable about it.

The response of the disciples below made Tian Muyun angrier, feeling that his place was shaken by a newly-recruited genius. This increased his hate for Jiang Chen even more!

Not only the disciples, but also the higher ups and elders felt that Tian Muyun was going too far. Daoist Yufeng had an unpleasant look, but at this point, only he has the power to voice out.

"Pavilion Master, please think twice," Daoist Yufeng reminded.

"Yufeng, this has nothing to do with you. I will never retract my decision." Tian Muyun waved, not giving Daoist Yufeng face.

Upon seeing what had happened, the others went silent as well. Tianji Zi's facial expression turned incomparably gloomy. Anger was written all over his face, however, he understood that there was no way for him to change Tian Muyun's decision. As a matter of fact, he already understood that the Pavilion Master somewhat hated Jiang Chen. Jiang Chen was just too excellent, so excellent that it stirred up the envy inside Tian Muyun.

“Tian Muyun, even if you have already expelled Jiang Chen and isn’t in Skycloud Pavilion anymore, we can never let this matter rest,” Huangfu Yaotian said.

“Oh? Then what do you all want? Jiang Chen isn’t here. I can’t make him appear out of thin air even if you insist. However, don’t ever think that I, Tian Muyun, will be scared of you all. Even if the three of you attacked together, I won’t hesitate to respond accordingly.”

Tian Muyun had a look of indifference. It showed that he had a very high confidence, and given his current strength, he would never be afraid of them.

“Tian Muyun, we must get rid of that Jiang Chen. That monster has killed my son. We have to get our revenge. Since he isn’t in Skycloud Pavilion anymore, find ways to draw him out,” said Yun Zhonghe.

“How could I draw him out?” Tian Muyun asked curiously. If there was a way to draw Jiang Chen out, he would be glad to know what it was.

“Very simple. As long as you hand Tianji Zi over, we will contain him. By then, I don’t believe that Jiang Chen won’t appear.” Dugu Sheng said, locking his eyes onto Tianji Zi.

This had been a part of their plan. If they couldn’t find Jiang Chen, they would have to use Tianji Zi to draw him out, or even use this chance to get rid of Tianji Zi as well. This way, they could kill two birds in one stone. After all, Tianji Zi was a Golden Immortal who was proficient in the Great Divination Art, which posed a great threat to them.

“Impossible. Don’t even think about it. This has nothing to do with Tianji Zi.”

Daoist Yufeng got infuriated. This was an unreasonable demand. He would never agree to it.

Chapter 1325 - The Person with Ardent Nature

Although Daoist Yufeng already protested, Dugu Sheng and the others were still fixing their gazes on Tian Muyun. Apparently, Daoist Yufeng's opposition was pointless as the true decision maker in Skycloud Pavilion was Tian Muyun.

For a moment, the scene fell into silence, including the experts of Skycloud Pavilion. They would never believe that Tian Muyun would hand over Tianji Zi to the three major powers. Tianji Zi's status was different from Jiang Chen's. Jiang Chen was merely a genius whereas Tianji Zi was a highly respected elder of Skycloud Pavilion.

A look of coldness was all over Tianji Zi's face. He had suddenly lost all hope and patience for his Sect Master.

Tian Muyun's eyes flashed brilliantly. No one knew what exactly was going on in his subtle mind. He was willing to do anything for his own benefit. He even dared to kill his own master. Even though Tianji Zi had a dignified position in Skycloud Pavilion, the elder was nothing to him.

"I can help you all draw Jiang Chen out by using Elder Tianji Zi."

Tian Muyun mused or perhaps he didn't even think about it at all before he spoke.

When these words got out, it caused another wave of commotion. The crowd in Skycloud Pavilion became agitated. It had totally changed their impression of Tian Muyun completely. They suddenly felt that this young Pavilion Master had become somewhat strange. Helping the enemies to draw Jiang Chen out was a traitorous act. More importantly, he was going to use Tianji Zi to draw Jiang Chen out. This was unacceptable to many people.

As a matter of fact, it's not just the disciples of Skycloud Pavilion

that were shocked, but also Dugu Sheng and the other experts. Their initial goal was only to exert some pressure on Tian Muyun. No one had ever thought that this Pavilion Master would agree so quickly. This had gone beyond their expectation.

“Pavilion Master. I, Yufeng, will be the first to disagree.”

Daoist Yufeng tone was stern, apparently he’s angry. Ever since Tian Muyun became the Pavilion Master, this was the first time he opposed Tian Muyun openly.

“I know what I’m doing.”

Tian Muyun frowned. He was a person with pride, he didn’t like people commenting on his actions or opposing his decisions.

“Haha! Good, good! I never thought that you’re a ruthless lord, which is completely different from your master, Ouyang He. Since Master Tian has agreed to our request, hand over Tianji Zi now.”

Huangfu Yaotian said with a smile. Such an unsentimental remark turned countless disciples sour. Everyone felt incomparably unpleasant.

“Huangfu Yaotian, I think you all are thinking too much. Although I have promised to use Elder Tianji Zi to draw Jiang Chen out, I didn’t say that I would hand Elder Tianji Zi over to you all. Elder Tianji Zi is highly respected in Skycloud Pavilion. How can I give way someone who has contributed so much to my pavilion?” Tian Muyun replied with a smile.

“Then what do you intend to do?” Yun Zhonghe asked.

“I will announce the news that Tianji Zi has been imprisoned, so that Jiang Chen will be compelled to appear, however, I will be the one to hold Tianji Zi captive, not you all. This is my bottom line.” Tian Muyun said. His tone was extremely resolute.

After he finished speaking, Tian Muyun turned to Tianji Zi. “Elder Tianji, I’m doing this just to protect you. I hope you don’t misunderstand it.”

After hearing this, Tianji Zi sniffed. Given his intelligence, it was impossible for him not to figure out what Tian Muyun was planning. Since Tian Muyun had already decided to expel Jiang Chen to prevent his reputation from being tarnished, he wouldn't hesitate to use Tianji Zi to lure Jiang Chen out. In other words, Tian Muyun had done all of these just to protect himself.

In truth, Tian Muyun's actions had made numerous disciples of Skycloud Pavilion uncomfortable. Tianji Zi could now see clearly the real character of the young Pavilion Master who seemed so subtle-minded.

“Humph! I thank Pavilion Master for his kindness, but I, Tianji Zi, have already decided to leave Skycloud Pavilion. From now on, Skycloud Pavilion has nothing to do with me anymore.”

Tianji Zi harrumphed coldly, he then clasped his fists at Tian Muyun, turned and left. Tianji Zi was a man with sentiments and forthrightness. Since Tian Muyun was acting all unfairly, there was no need for him to work under such a person whilst feeling aggrieved and suffocated.

Tianji Zi now stood on the same line as Jiang Chen. Jiang Chen was also a person who valued sentiments. He too, would never let Tian Muyun and the three major powers get whatever they wanted.

“Elder Tianji, don't be reckless. The Pavilion Master is doing this for your own good.” Daoist Yufeng hurried forward to stop him.

“Elder Daoist, I have high respect for you, but what the Pavilion Master did today is disheartening. Although I haven't been with Jiang Chen for long, he is my true disciple. As his master, when my disciple is in trouble, even if I can't provide any help to him, I should never become his burden.” Tianji Zi finished speaking and left.

Swoosh!

Tianji Zi was quick, but Tian Muyun was faster, appearing before Tianji Zi and blocking his path entirely.

“Elder Tianji, do you really want to betray Skycloud Pavilion in front of everyone?” Tian Muyun’s eyes turned somewhat cold.

“Betray?”

Tianji Zi felt a tremble in his mind. He couldn’t believe that Tian Muyun would use such a word to describe him. This was literally labelling him as the ‘bad guy’. He suddenly realized that he had underestimated Tian Muyun. This Pavilion Master was ruthless. Not only did he want to get rid of Jiang Chen, but also Tianji Zi. And now, Tianji Zi had just found another excuse and reason of Tian Muyun to eliminate him.

“Haha! What a good word to use! Since you say so, this old man is going to betray Skycloud Pavilion for sure. Kill me if you dare.”

Tianji Zi burst into laughter. He was a man of stubbornness. Knowing that he was already in Tian Muyun’s trap, he was still displaying his ardent side without hesitation.

Hong Long.....

Tianji Zi unleashed his powerful Qi and struck at Tian Muyun. This was his first time attacking the Pavilion Master and also the first in Skycloud Pavilion to do so. Daoist Yufeng could see that despite Tianji Zi being a passionate person, he was also a person with a strong character. He would rather die in Tian Muyun’s hand than be used as a bait to lure Jiang Chen out.

“Humph! Tianji Zi, how dare you attack me!”

Tian Muyun raged. He was the true king of Skycloud Pavilion. No one had ever dared to oppose him. Tianji Zi completely did not put him in his eyes in front of so many people. In that case, he naturally wouldn’t be lenient anymore. Plus, this was also exactly what he wanted.

Chapter 1326 - Seething with Discontent

Although Tianji Zi was strong, he was no match for Tian Muyun. With a wave of his palm, Tian Muyun shattered Tianji Zi's strike completely.

Hong!

A powerful force like an invisible mountain knocked Tianji Zi off, sending him away. The bystanders could clearly hear the sound of broken bones. It was imaginable that Tianji Zi had suffered greatly.

Barf... *Barf...*

Tianji Zi spurted out mouthfuls of blood. His body trembled violently. His face was as pale as white paper. He almost fell from the sky. This scene shocked many of them. Not even Daoist Yufeng had thought that Tian Muyun would really attack Tianji Zi. A moment ago, Tian Muyun claimed that he would protect Tianji Zi. So they all thought that even if Tian Muyun attacked, it would only be a pretense, but now, it seemed like it was far from that.

“Haha... Tian Muyun, kill me now if you dare!”

Tianji Zi laughed loudly. His eyes were full of hatred, malice and disappointment. This was a sect which he had dedicated his life to. He had already regarded the sect as a part of him. It was his home. The place he vowed to live or die with. He had never thought of the day of leaving the sect or even be beaten by the Pavilion Master.

“Tianji Zi, you tried to betray Skycloud Pavilion and attacked me. These two crimes alone can cost you your life. But because you are an elder of Skycloud Pavilion and have contributed a lot despite the troubles you have created, I will personally hold you captive, and give you the chance to repent for your mistakes.”

Tian Muyun announced loudly and pompously. Then, he struck

once more with his palm. Huge gusts of winds instantly enshrouded Tianji Zi. Sadness filled Tianji Zi's face. He didn't seem to be resisting, he clearly understood the gap between him and Tian Muyun. It would be pointless to put up any resistance.

Tianji Zi then vanished. Tian Muyun disappeared too in a flash, leaving the silent scene behind.

“This Tian Muyun is truly ruthless. He even dared to injure Tianji Zi badly.”

Xuan Yangyi shook his head. Plenty of experts realized that they all had underestimated Tian Muyun. This man was far scarier than they had ever imagined.

As a matter of fact, this was what Tian Muyun was. He would do whatever it took to achieve his goal. Any obstacle that blocked his way would be eliminated. Today, he attacked Tianji Zi to stall for time. Of course, it was also partly because of Jiang Chen's existence.

As to whether this incident would leave a bad image in the disciples and elders' heart nor dampen his influence, he didn't care. To him, this was a world that only respected the strong ones. As long as he was strong enough, he could do whatever he want. Whoever questioned him would be killed without hesitation.

In the past, when he just took over Skycloud Pavilion after killing Ouyang He, he was being very humble. After all, he needed to gain everyone's recognition in Skycloud Pavilion to establish his prestige. But now, he no longer needed that.

Furthermore, Tian Muyun had great ambitions. He would never put a miniature Skycloud Pavilion in his heart. Once he become a true Immortal King, he would rule the whole One-Line-Sky. After realizing that wish, he would head over to Ethereal Immortal Domain. He thought of himself as the 'dragon of the Heavens' that could soar constantly. So, the tiny One-Line-Sky wouldn't be able to meet his insatiable desire.

Unfortunately, Tian Muyun was somehow like Nan Bei Chao. That year, everything was good. The luck was good and the resources were abundant. If it wasn't because he had encountered Jiang Chen, his cultivation path would've been destined to succeed like a smooth-sailing ride.

Unfortunately, both of them had met Jiang Chen. Their fates would eventually be the same. Jiang Chen had made up his mind to kill Tian Muyun for Ouyang He's sake. Now that Tianji Zi was in trouble, it would only stir up Jiang Chen's fury even more.

“What do we do now?”

Dugu Sheng looked over at Huangfu Yaotian and Yun Zhonghe.

“What else can we do? Frankly, Tianji Zi is the one I respect the most. If he had fallen into our hands, I would've treated him kindly. I won't treat him just like how Tian Muyun did. We'll just wait and see. Tian Muyun has already expelled Jiang Chen and even injured Tianji Zi. Once Jiang Chen knows about this, he will surely appear. That's the thing that we'll be waiting for.” Huangfu Yaotian said.

“I have to admit that I had never thought that Tian Muyun was such a ruthless lord. There's a vast difference between his style of action and Ouyang He's. I would rather have an opponent like Ouyang He than an adversary like Tian Muyun. That man is terrifying. I think we can't afford to waste any more time. We should return and cultivate properly, and try to break through the bottleneck and reach the Immortal King realm as soon as possible. Otherwise, Tian Muyun will always be a threat to us.”

After Yun Zhonghe spoke, he immediately spun around and brought the experts of Yun Family back to their sect. Although they hadn't gotten the chance to eliminate Jiang Chen, today's trip wasn't in vain. As long as Tian Muyun used Tianji Zi to lure Jiang Chen out. Jiang Chen would most likely emerge. The only thing they could do now was wait. After all, they had already searched

for Jiang Chen for three whole days, but still found nothing about him. Any further search would only be deemed senseless.

After Yun Family left, Huangfu Yaotian and Dugu Sheng also led their experts back as well. The originally noisy mountain had suddenly settled down. Even though the enemies had already left, Tian Muyun's actions didn't leave any feeling of joy and relief in them. They started to feel a little strange about their own sect.

“Elder Daoist, Elder Tianji is a dignified person. Even if he has made some mistakes today, he still didn't deserve to be treated that way by Pavilion Master. What Pavilion Master did is really disheartening.”

A Golden Immortal Elder spoke. Tianji Zi was proficient in the Great Divination Art, which made him extremely important to the sect, his position in the pavilion was secured. What happened to Elder Tianji today had filled their hearts with unpleasantness, as though the trusted aides would be eliminated as soon as they had already outlived their usefulness.

“Don't you all worry. As long as I'm here, Pavilion Master will never hurt Elder Tianji. As soon as you come back to the sect, try to help our disciples calm their emotions in case some of them are holding grudges right now. As for Pavilion Master, I will handle him.’

Daoist Yufeng said with a frown. Since the matter had already developed to such a stage, there's only so much that he can do, this was something that he didn't wish to see the most. His stomach was now full of fury. Tian Muyun's sudden change had tilted him off balance. Comparing this young Pavilion Master to the forthright Ouyang He, there was too much of a difference. He understood very well that if this matter wasn't resolved properly, everyone in Skycloud Pavilion would be seething with discontent—something that he didn't wish to see.

Chapter 1327 - All-Out War

Jiang Chen was expelled out of Skycloud Pavilion and Tianji Zi was injured and imprisoned. The news about this spread fast across the entire Skycloud Pavilion and even to the whole One-Line-Sky. Currently, the atmosphere in Skycloud Pavilion had grown tense. Many disciples had gotten very angry.

“I really don’t understand why Pavilion Master would do this. Could it be that he was afraid of the other major powers? Brother Jiang is a person who values sentiments. If he were the one deciding, he would never do such a thing.”

“It was fortunate that Brother Jiang had escaped, otherwise he would be in real danger. What Pavilion Master did was too disheartening. I can set Brother Jiang’s matter aside, but Elder Tianji shouldn’t have suffered such a thing even though he was Brother Jiang’s master.”

“That’s right. In any case, Elder Tianji is still a highly respected elder that has contributed a lot to the sect. After being wounded by Pavilion Master, I have no idea how heartbroken Elder Tianji is right now.”

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Countless of disciples were lamenting and fuming. Jiang Chen’s actions in the ancient tomb had impressed plenty of young disciples. Jiang Chen had already established an incomparably high impression and status in their hearts. Every young person was hot-blooded and had their own idol. At first, their idol was Tian Muyun, but later, he was replaced by Jiang Chen. So naturally, they weren’t satisfied with the decision against Jiang Chen. There were even disciples who thought that Jiang Chen’s talent was far beyond Tian Muyun’s, and it was only a matter of time before he surpassed the Pavilion Master. They even tried to imagine what it would be like if Jiang Chen were to lead Skycloud Pavilion. Given

Jiang Chen's means, he would definitely make Skycloud Pavilion prosper.

Right now, Jiang Chen, Big Yellow and Tyrant had completed their seclusion. Tyrant was now at the peak of half-step Golden Immortal realm, making him capable enough to kill any ordinary early Golden Immortal opponent with ease. By using his Dao Light Buddha Body, he could fight any average intermediate Golden Immortal, but if he fought the demonic devils with his Edifying Light, he wouldn't have a problem exterminating intermediate Golden Immortal devils.

Jiang Chen still remained at the peak of intermediate Divine Immortal realm. He didn't try to advance to a higher level during his seclusion as he needed to fortify his foundation first. It wouldn't be impossible for him to advance if he really wanted to during his seclusion.

Of course, the most powerful among them was Big Yellow. This dude's cultivation had improved drastically after obtaining the essence of Immortal Execution Sword. Currently, he was already at the peak of early Golden Immortal realm, seemingly about to advance to the intermediate Golden Immortal realm at any time. After all, there were still plenty of essences in his body that had been compressed. Later on, as his foundation become fortified, this essence could be refined at any time. In other words, with this essence in his body, he wouldn't have a problem advancing.

Furthermore, he had a formidable Divine Beast Bloodline. With him being a peak early Golden Immortal, he could kill any ordinary late Golden Immortal opponent and had an even higher possibility of exterminating demonic devils which his bloodline could suppress.

Finally, they could keep a foothold in the Immortal World. Looking at the major improvements of each other, the three of them couldn't help smiling.

“Little Chen, you truly have gotten something great this time from the ancient tomb. Do you have other things else besides this?” Big Yellow said with a smile. It seemed like the Immortal Execution Sword had yet to satisfy his greed.

“Oh ya, if you didn’t mention it, I probably would have forgotten the wondrous rock.”

Jiang Chen said and waved. The wondrous rock fell down from the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda. It was as tall as a man. From its looks, it didn’t seem very unusual. It had a faint golden ray of light flashing on its surface constantly. It gave them a sense of antiquity every time it flashed.

“This is a very divine rock. There’s ancient spirit hidden inside it.”

Big Yellow’s eyes widened and his expression turned solemn. With his sharp eyes, he could see through the extraordinariness of this rock at first glance.

“That’s right. There’s an ancient creature living inside, but it was covered by a layer of energy. Previously, I used the Ancestral Dragon Pagoda to obtain its recognition and brought it back. I tried to find out what kind of creature was inside, but the layer of energy prevented me from doing it.” Jiang Chen said.

“Let me have a look at it.”

Big Yellow moved forward. Both of his eyes shone brightly. Two rays of brilliant, and golden light landed on the wondrous rock and the rock shuddered intensely, as if it had received some kind of strong stimulation. At the same time, a rebounding force rushed out, forcing Big Yellow backwards.

“For God’s Sake! The bastard inside must be some really unusual dude!”

Big Yellow was incomparably astonished. Just now, he used an ancient secret art, but he still couldn’t dig deep into the wondrous

rock. This aroused his interest even more about the rock.

“Yes. The creature inside must be really extraordinary. Judging by its looks, I’m afraid that it won’t be long before it is born.” Jiang Chen said with a nod.

“Hehe! I think that the creature inside the rock has unparalleled energy. Why don’t Master Dog use my ancient secret art to refine it directly? My cultivation base is going to rise dramatically again, reaching a level where the two of you will certainly open both of your mouths so wide that flies could enter it.”

Big Yellow smiled maliciously and began to have an idea.

Pa!

Just as Big Yellow’s words faded, Jiang Chen smacked his hand on the dog’s head.

“Don’t even think about it. I have very high interest in the creature inside the rock. So there’s no way you can refine it.”

Jiang Chen said sternly, and then kept the wondrous rock. If he handed the rock to Big Yellow, he was afraid that Big Yellow would really refine the rock in a matter of seconds. Don’t be fooled by the fact that Big Yellow couldn’t see through what was inside the rock. Jiang Chen had reasons to believe that this dog had absolute heaven defying means to refine the rock.

“I’m just kidding. Why so serious?” Big Yellow stuck out his tongue.

At this time, a silhouette flew into the courtyard. He was a late Golden Immortal expert with extraordinary demeanor, but after seeing Jiang Chen and his brothers, his face immediately turned friendly.

“Brother Jiang, I’m Liu Qingshan. I have yet to thank Brother Jiang for saving my life.”

Liu Qingshan clasped his fists at Jiang Chen. Three days ago in

the main hall, he and another late Golden Immortal had violated Yang Bufan's dignity and were almost crippled by Yang Bufan. Luckily, Jiang Chen had returned in time and saved their lives. This act of Jiang Chen was deeply planted in Liu Qingshan's heart, and he was very grateful to Jiang Chen.

“Don't mention it Brother Liu. You should have something to tell me by coming here.” Jiang Chen said.

“That's right. I wouldn't dare disturb Brother Jiang's peaceful cultivation if there was nothing important. City Lord has asked you to come over with us. Currently, the Evil Clan's movement have intensified. It seems an all-out war is going to break out soon.”

Liu Qingshan's tone became firmer. It was imaginable that the Evil Abyss had gotten really chaotic, all the calmness and serenity before were completely broken.

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